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Councilmen Will Quiz Building Inspector on Enforcement Failures

Building Inspector Arthur S. Kepner will be asked to explain why the borough street ordinance has not been enforced when he meets with highway-sewer committee Monday night.

Building permits have been issued by Kepner without required bonds. The ordinance provides street builders shall file bonds binding them to payment of street construction costs at some later date.

Borough Solicitor C. Edmund Wells will attempt to show Kepner and the committee there is nothing dark or mysterious about the street ordinance passed by council this past Summer in a thumping 18 to-1-rejection of Burgess William A. Griffith's veto.

Kepner has been raked through the fire before for alleged violations.

He was criticized by council after the McCrory store fire this past Palm Sunday.

Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer said the new McCrory building, which had been open only a week before the fire had been built in violation of the fire code.

His checks on estimated costs of buildings has been the object of public fire. Building permits are issued on a graduated scale and fees are based on the estimated costs of new construction.

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THE STREET ORDINANCE provides contractors must install sewer, water and street facilities in all future developments.

It was passed by the big nonpartisan vote as an insurance against more rutted, pocked streets which resulted from the unplanned post-war housing rush in Pottstown.

When council orators clamored for passage of the ordinance they cited the orderly and planned development in other communities and in other cities in other states.

They called Pottstown's lack of blueprints for the future "sad, neglectful and inept" and called for a guard against repeat performances.

The highway committee learned this past Monday night the ordinance has not been enfored. In the North End contractors are ducking the law, they were told.

They are selling single lots with

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LEADERS REPORT PROGRESS WITH CONTRACT TALK

Firestone, Union Officials Appear Optimistic About Accord

Firestone company and union officials will continue in conference today in an effort to draft a satisfactory supplementary contract.

A spokesman for Local 336, United Rubber Workers (CIO), and a firm official last night reported "progress" in negotiations.

In a full page advertisement appearing on Page 5 in today's Mercury the company reviews a letter sent to all employes by special delivery.

The letter cites nine reasons why the union should come to terms on a supplementary pact.

The nine reasons are all provisions of the master contract, a result of 10 weeks of bargaining at Columbus, Ohio, this past Summer.

Members of Local 336 accepted the master contract this past Fall. Earlier they joined with workers at Akron Local 7 to turn it down.

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AT THE ASBURY PARK, N. J. convention of the international union this past September the Firestone division of the policy committee voted to request a resumption of negotiations.

Conferences were re-opened at Cleveland in the Fall, after which Local 137 and 336 ratified the master contract.

Negotiations began immediately on the supplementary pact.

The principal reasons cited

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Synthane Employes Observe Company's Birthday at Party

The 24th anniversary of Synthane corporation, Oaks, was celebrated last night at Sunnybrook by the company's Ten Year club.

Almost 700 persons, including wives and husbands of members of the club, were at the party.

Employes who completed ten years of service with the company this year wer presented with gold pins by the firm's president, Robert R. Titus.

Those who completed 15 years with the company were given silver pins and employes with 20 years service were awarded fountain pens bearing the company insignia.

During the banquet, a trio roamed about the ballroom playing music requested by the diners and dancing followed.

The meal for company veterans took almost two hours to eat, starting with shrimp cocktail, followed by roast capon or fish and topped with cake and ice cream.

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WAITERS RUSHED about the tables serving seconds as fast as the diners could eat.

After the dinner a massive white

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THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Cloudy, windy and mild, with occasional rain today. Temperatures in the 50s. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy, windy and much colder.

62 High — Mercury Antics — 35 Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	36	4 p. m.	60
5 a. m.	35	5 p. m.	59
6 a. m.	35	6 p. m.	57
7 a. m.	35	7 p. m.	56
8 a. m.	37	8 p. m.	55
9 a. m.	42	9 p. m.	56
10 a. m.	48	10 p. m.	55
11 a. m.	53	11 p. m.	55
12 m.	58	12 p. m.	55
1 p. m.	60	1 a. m.	55
2 p. m.	62	2 a. m.	54
3 p. m.	60	3 a. m.	55

SHAW AND YOHN WILLING TO AID KOREAN VETS

Okay School Accrediting For Vocational Training

DIRECTORS WANT TO KEEP SCHOOL GOING FOR GIs

A willingness to consider getting Pottstown vocational school accredited for GI training of Korean war veterans was voiced yesterday by two members of the borough school board, H. Bert Shaw, president, and William H. Yohn, both of the Republican majority.

The vocational school now is not accredited by the State for Government-paid schooling of Korean war veterans, which a recent Federal law permits.

An official of the State Department of Public Instruction revealed Thursday that the department had sent forms on which accreditation could be requested to Dr. George A. McCormick, superintendent of schools.

Dr. McCormick has not filed any such request and has told servicemen's representatives that he does not think there is enough demand to make accreditation worthwhile.

If Korean war veterans are not admitted to the veterans' school conducted at night in the high school vocational building, the veterans' school would have to close shortly, since the number of World War II veterans getting GI schooling there has dropped drastically in the past few years.

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PRESIDENT SHAW said, "I would certainly plump for every American getting just as much education as can be provided by the public school system.

"I feel that those who served their country well should possibly

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Cow Produces Twin Bulls, But She's Calm About Her 100-1 Odds Offspring

Nobody wanted to give a Pottstown area cow much credit yesterday.

Farmers, county agents, veterinarians—even her owner—shrugged off the feat as commonplace.

But the fact remains that this cow had twins and that both twins were bulls and that the odds against her putting on such a show are about 100 to 1!

The slighted bovine is owned by T. Strickland Guest, a farmer who lives on Pottstown RD 2.

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BOTH SHE and her offspring are doing very well, farmer Guest reported last night, although he prefered to play down the whole thing.

"It's happened to my cows before," he said.

When asked how long it had been since this run-of-the-mill event had occured on his dairy and poultry farm, he reflected for a minute and said,

"About eight years ago."

The cow has waited some five years for her day of fame. A Holstein, this is her first litter, or school, or flock, or whatever two calves constitute.

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—Mercury Staff Photo

Farmer T. Strickland Guest, Pottstown RD 2, helps his new-born twin bull calves hold their feet. The odds against such a feat are about 100 to 1 but nobody wanted to give the dejected mother (at right) any credit. Men of the industry robbed the bovine of glory by saying it was an everyday occurence. The calves weighed in at 85 and 70 pounds and all three involved are reported doing "very well."

Housing Authority Reverses Its Position, Decides Not to Take Over Hilldale Homes

They're Still Groggy



—Mercury Staff Photo

Hours after waking up in their gas-filled home yesterday, this Pottstown RD 3 family still feels some of the effects from their close call with asphyxiation. This heater filled the home with gas. The alarm clock awakened Mrs. Frank J. Sieber (at heater), North State street, before she sank into too deep a sleep to hear the clock. The children are, left to right, Antoinette, 7; Frank Jr., 5, and Claire, 2½.

'Army' Names Five To Start Work on Fund-Raising Drive

Five members of the advisory board of the Salvation Army were named yesterday by J. Russell Reifsneider, vice chairman, to draw up plans immediately for a membership campaign.

The campaign, approved by the United Fund, is expected to realize at least $7500, a deficit created by failure of the United Fund to achieve its goal the past Fall.

This is the amount needed for operating expenses this year, but it was hoped by board members that additional funds could be raised to pay off some of the mortgage on the Army's citadel at 137 King Street.

Those named to the membership campaign committee by Reifsneider were: Raymond Russell, James S. Wilke, Mrs. Willard F. Maloney, Mrs. George Leh and William M. Hiester.

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HIESTER was named chairman by Reifsneider. In addition Reif-

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Famliy Is Thankful for Alarm Clock That Saved Them From Asphyxiation

A faithful alarm clock saved a Pottstown area family from the possibility of being asphyxiated by natural gas leaking from a kitchen heater yesterday morning.

Frank J. Sieber, North State street, Pottstown RD 3, said his three little children, who were in the bedroom next to the kitchen, escaped with grogginess and severe headaches. He and his wife also had headaches and a general sick feeling throughout the day.

What probably saved them from something more serious was that the alarm clock roused Mrs. Sieber promptly at 7 o'clock. After discovering what was wrong, she opened all doors and windows and turned off the heater.

The heater was supposed to switch automatically from one tank to another during the early morning hours. It switched to the full tank, but the flame went out in the process.

Sieber said the heater, used because the kitchen is not attached to the oil-heating system in his bungalow, was working all right when he returned home at 1 a. m. after work at Superior Tube company's plant in Evansburg.

The children are Claire, 2½; Frank Jr., 5, and Antoinette, 7.

Ceiling Off—But Milk Prices Set to Plunge

Despite lifting of ceilings, Pottstown shoppers can look forward to a penny-a-quart drop in milk prices from April to at least September.

The State Milk Control commission said the seasonal retail price drop scheduled for April 1 would not be altered, but that prices probably would rise again in the Fall.

The planned price decrease affects all of the State's 14 milk marketing areas except the Philadelphia and Williamsport — Sayre — Athens area.

Pottstown is in the Reading milk marketing area.

Accused Thief Jailed

The 25-year-old man who admitted stealing $192 from a Beech street home Wednesday was committed early yesterday morning to Montgomery county prison, Norristown, to await court action.

Clifford Jenkins, alias Joseph Jenkins, of 614 Beech street, was driven there in a borough police car by Plainclothesman Lewis M. Borgiet and Motor Patrolman Earl J. Rhoads.

He was held without bail after a hearing Thursday night before Justice of the Peace Raymond C. Kelloy, of the Second ward.

Setback Registered For Winter While Temperature Rises

Temperatures continued to soar yesterday as Winter, for the second day in a row, seemed to be losing its grip.

Yesterday's rising temperatures brought out at least one more sure sign of Spring.

In front of Earl Snyder's hardware store at 443 High street, sets of onion plants were displayed.

Snyder said many people are buying the hardy plants, too, and planting them just as soon as they find a spot of land that's soft enough.

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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER was perfect for planting. With the sunrise, the mercury started climbing.

At 8 a. m. it was still a near-frigid 37 but by 9 a. m. the thermometer was reading 42.

Late shoppers found a warm 53-degree air outside at 11 a. m. and at noon, a 58-mark was reached.

High for the day was reached at 2 p. m. when the temperature was 62. From then on the mercury dropped—but slowly.

By midnight it was still 55, with warm rains giving the evening a real Spring-like atmosphere.

The weatherman sees a cloudy, windy and mild day today, with occasional showers and temperatures in the 50's.

Tomorrow, he says, it will be mostly cloudy and windy, with Winter coming back, accompanied by much lower temperatures.

Ballot Count Scheduled Tuesday in Union Election

Final counting of ballots in the contest between H. Charles Ford and Richard G. Davidson for director of District 7, United Steel Workers (CIO), which includes Pottstown, is expected to start Tuesday, it was announced yesterday.

Both men have claimed victory

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Meter Reader Is Home from Hospital

A man familiar to hundreds of Pottstown area housewives will be back in circulation soon.

Frank Wausnock, 635 Water street, Philadelphia Electric company meter reader for 31 years, reluctantly left his meter route this past October for a series of operations in the Philadelphia Naval hospital.

He returned to the quiet of his Water street home yesterday and if he progresses on schedule he will be checking your meter again in a few weeks.

Wausnock, a stock ruddy-faced man, was the victim of a German gas attack in World War I. He suffered almost constant pain from the war's end until the operation, and for several years before he went to the hospital eating was a painful process.

He was in critical condition when he went to the hospital this past October. He had a lung, rib and half of his windpipe removed.

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HIS WIFE, an inspector at the Spicer Manufacturing division, Dana corporation, for the past 10 years, reported, "But now he can eat. Everything's okay now. He's up and around the house and I know he'll be back to work soon. Thank God!"

Wausnock has been on sick leave since the operation.

Women and children and even some men remember the friendly meter reader who used to make his rounds at several thousand homes in Royersford, Pottstown,

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Two Groups of Investors Will Seek to Buy Buildings

By FRED C. SELBY
(Mercury Staff Writer)

Montgomery County Housing authority announced yesterday it had reversed its decision of the past Fall and will not take Hilldale from the Government.

But representatives of two groups of private investors promptly reported that their group would try to buy the buildings and operate them as low-rent housing.

Edmund J. Koser, executive secretary of the authority, said there are two big reasons why the authority has changed its mind about taking title to the buildings, where 148 families (more than 500 people) now live:

1. If it took over the buildings, the authority also would have to take over the Government's responsibility for restoring the land to its original condition after the project no longer is in use. This would mean tearing down all buildings, a job that Koser estimated would cost approximately $75,000.

Clearing the land when it's through is the Government's responsibility under a lease it signed with the owners of the land—the John Schulz estate and William Gutmueller, Doehler-Jarvis executive, who used to live in Pottstown but now is in Toledo, Ohio.

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2. REVENUE FROM the temporary wartime housing project has been falling steadily, as the number of vacancies has increased.

In 1950, when the authority was willing to take over Hilldale, 254 families were living there, and there were only 21 vacancies. As of Feb. 1, there were only 148 families living there, and 114 vacancies.

Koser said that as of yesterday, vacancies were frozen, meaning that no new families can move into Hilldale.

He said plans call for the 11 gypsum-board, one-story buildings to be vacated quickly, with tenants transferred to the 27 two-story cement-block buildings. The one-story building would be torn down.

Plans call for tenants to vacate the 27 two-story buildings by July 1, 1954, he asserted.

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THE PRESUMPTION is, he said, that after that 1954 date, the remaining buildings in Hilldale would be torn down, too.

At the meeting this month of authority members and Thomas J. McCoy, area director of management for Public Housing administration, the posibility of selling the buildings to a private group was

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Burden of Inductions To Fall Chiefly Upon Boys 19 Years Old

From now on, Pottstown's 19-year-old youths will carry the load of the area's draft needs.

R. Ross Longaker, clerk of local board 110, said yesterday that he had reached the bottom of the barrel in the 20-year-old age group.

"It'll be mostly 19-year-olds from now on," Longaker said.

The statements were in line with the situation all over the State and country, according to Henry M. Gross, State draft director.

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RELIGION COMES TO STEEL PLANT AT LUNCH TIME

2 Ministers Hold Service For Half Hour in Bethlehem Shop

By NORMAND POIRIER
(Mercury Staff Writer)

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Some workers at Bethlehem Steel company plant are getting a serving of religion with their lunch-hour sandwiches and salads these nights.

Once a week—on Friday night—when the great cranes and chains and machines grind to a halt, workers pick up their lunch pails and filter from all corners of huge shop 3 to one spot.

And while they relax along a wall, on machines, beams and girders, eating their sandwiches and drinking from thermos bottles, the quiet, smoke-filled, steel-ridden shop takes on the reverence of a church.

For a half hour, two licensed ministers, both employes of Bethlehem, speak and sing of God.

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LAST NIGHT a group numbering 35 sat, ate, and listened while the Revs. Isaiah Glenn and Calvin Monroe prayed for several children who were lost and freezing, spoke of God's greatness as compared with man's greatness, and sang several hymns.

The workers, young and old, dressed in dirty denims, were reverent throughout. Most of them lunched and listened in silence. All of them, without exception, sat through the service with hats removed.

A few joined in when the preachers led the singing. A few dropped coins in a cigar box proffered by one of the preachers at the end of the service.

When the meeting was

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Motor Scooter Rider Injured in Collision

A 21-year-old man was injured yesterday noon when the motor scooter he was riding rammed a car at High and Adams streets.

Elmer Hock Jr., 21, Fourth and Seminary streets, Pennsburg, was badly cut and bruised when he ran into a car operated by Paul Banks, Road A, Hilldale, at 12:28 p. m. yesterday.

Hock told police he was

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Today's Psalm, daily feature during Lent, appears today on Page 7.

It's on one of The Mercury's fine church pages, several of which appear each Saturday. Get acquainted with their features now.

ON THE MAIN DRAG

HOWARD KALIS
—impersonating a smiling Irishman.

JOANNE BANKS
—giving a humorous reading.

CONRAD CRAMP
—still chuckling over a comic valentine.

JACK SMITH and MARSHALL SAGER
—swapping sandwiches.

DAVID GINGRICH
—discussing his birthday party at school.

ED KUPESKI
—enjoying a sidewalk bull session.

RONALD ROHLAND
—rendering a trumpet solo.

LOUISE LEVENGOOD
—doing the "bunny hop."

BARBARA GOOD
—nursing an injured nose.

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Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Clarence C. Reeder, pastor. 9:15 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., worship, sermon, "Living Without God"; 6:45 p. m., Mission band and senior Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p. m., worship, Galatians, third chapter.

Sacred Heart, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Masses at 6:30, 10 and 11 a. m.

Baptist, the Rev. Fred G. Bangs, pastor. 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., worship.

Methodist, the Rev. Earl C. Carver, pastor. 9:45 a. m., church school 11 a. m., Day of Dedication service; 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship; 7:30 p. m., The Pilgrimage Play, sound motion picture, portraying the Life of Christ.

Grace Lutheran, the Rev. Paul J. Henry, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service, sermon, "A Dream"; 2 p. m., confirmation class; 7:30 p. m., Bible study hour, Genesis 18: 1 ff.

Nazarene, the Rev. H. E. Zollinhofer, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., worship; 6:45 p. m., NYPS; 7:45 p. m., service.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister. 9 a. m., Sunday school; 6:45 p. m., Menno Youth; 7:30 p. m., Evangelistic, sermon, "The Life of Faith and Fullness."

First Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Franklin P. Watts, pastor. 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., worship, sermon, "The Glory of the Cross."

Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Wilbur Martin, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., service, sermon, "The Church—Only One."

Church of the Epiphany Episcopal, 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., morning prayer.

Wayside Chapel Seventh Day Adventist Church, Paul Moyer, local elder. Upper Lewis Road. Services every Saturday. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m., worship service, 11 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Missionary Volunteer youth fellowship, Friday, 7:45 p. m.

SPRING CITY

First Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Grant O. Adams, pastor. 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m. the worship service, first in series of Lenten sermons on "The Inviting Christ and His Invitations"

St. Clare's Catholic, Linfield, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Masses 6:30 and 11 a. m.

Methodist, the Rev. Charles E. Salkeld, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., worship and sermon, "Lent—Looks At The Cross"; 7:30 p. m., Gospel hour and singspiration, film, "Twice Convicted."

Spring City Lutheran, the Rev. Ralph L. Alderfer, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service with Holy Communion; 3 p. m., adult catechetical class.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., worship, sermon, "Uzziah, King of Judah."

St. Joseph's Catholic, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Mass 10 a. m.

Zion Lutheran, the Rev. Eugene C. Harmony, pastor. 8:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., Choral Communion; 7:30 p. m., Leadership school.

Vincent Mennonite, Route 83, Spring City RD 1, Amos Kolb, Matthew Kolb and Jacob Kolb, pastors. 9 a. m., Sunday school; 10 a. m., morning worship; 7:30 p. m., Bible study as announced at morning service.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Funeral services for MRS. DOROTHY MILES, wife of Richard A. Miles, CHESTER SPRINGS RD, were conducted in a funeral home at 331 New street, Spring City, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Robert F. Brillhart, pastor of Lower Pikeland Reformed church, officiated.

Interment was made in Morris Cemetery, Phoenixville. Bearers were George Curry, Howard Bloomer, William Miles, Robert ford, was discharged. Prischmann.

Hospital Notes

Judith Chuck, Randolph Umstead, Royersford, and Mahlon Beard, Phoenixville RD 1, were admitted to Phoenixville hospital.

Mrs. Russell Deery Jr., Royersford, was discharged.

GIRL TO MARK 9TH BIRTHDAY

Patty Anderson, 445 Ridge avenue, Spring City, will observe her ninth birthday anniversary tomorrow, Washington's birthday.

Twin-Boro Classified

Deaths 1

TRUMBAUER — In Memorial hospital, Pottstown, on Friday, Feb. 20, 1953, Harry Trumbauer, aged 65 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral without further notice from the Nelson Funeral Home Inc., 367 Walnut St., Royersford, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment Mt. Carmel M. E. church cemetery, St. Peters. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday evening 7 to 9.

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Harry Trumbauer, Former Resident, Dies Suddenly After Suffering Stroke

Harry Trumbauer, 65, former Royersford resident and restaurateur, died suddenly yesterday morning at 6:30 o'clock in Memorial hospital, Pottstown, where he was admitted recently. Death was attributed to a stroke. He had been in ill health since before Christmas.

Mr. Trumbauer, who resided with his family on Old Mill road, Pughtown, a number of years, formerly lived in Royersford most of his life.

Many years ago he and his late brother, William, operated a restaurant in Royersford, known as Trumbauer Brothers.

In more recent years, Harry returned to Royersford and operated a restaurant of his own at 149 Main street. He retired about ten years ago and since then has been residing at Pughtown.

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HE WAS BORN at Limerick, son of the late John and Amanda (Kline) Trumbauer. He was a member of Royersford Grace Lutheran church.

Surviving are his wife, Susan (Morrison) Trumbauer; three children, Mrs. Arlene Reidnauer, Pottstown; Harry Jr., at home, and Mrs. Verda DeWalt, at home; also, three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, Royersford, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Mt. Carmel Methodist Evangelical church cemetery, St. Peters.

Taxi Firm Requests Commission for New Fare Rate in Area

Approval of a new taxi rate for the Twin-Boro area has been requested of the Public Utility commission by the Hart Taxi firm.

The Taxi company proposes to increase the present 25 cent fare for single passengers between points in Royersford and Spring City, to 35 cents.

The present fare of 50 cents for the first mile outside the borough would remain the same for a single passenger. The proposed new rate would be 35 cents for each passenger for two or more passengers.

The present rates were established by the commission in 1924.

Since acquiring the business the Hart brothers, Edmund and Joseph, 537 Chestnut street, have equipped the four taxis with radios.

The two brothers took over the taxi firm in April 1950. The firm employs four drivers.

The proposed new rates would take effect March 22. The commission is expected to hand down a decision on the request at its March 16 meeting.

Rev.. E. B. Hartman To Speak at Service

The Rev. Ernest B. Hartman, pastor of Graterford and Harleysville Mennonite Brethren in Christ churches, will be guest speaker in the Royersford MBC church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

The Rev. Hartman was transferred to the Graterford and Harleysville circuit recently, after having been pastor of the church in Philadelphia, Chester and Scranton.

He is one of four minister sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hartman, of Royersford. This will be his first appearance in the local pulpit for a number of years.

Color Film to Be Shown At Dedication Service

The final service of the Week of Dedication in Spring City Methodist church will be conducted tomorrow night.

"Twice Convicted," a color sound film, produced by the Good News Production company, Chester Springs, will be shown.

It is 45 minutes in length. A number of parts were filmed in and around this area. Other parts were taken in New York City.

Special music will be provided by the church choir. The public was invited to attend.

Army to Give Own Aviation Training

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—The Army announced today the opening of its own aviation school at Fort Sill, Okla.

The school will give tactical training to pilots and mechanics of all branches of the Army which now use or may eventually employ light airplanes and helicopters.

In the past few years limited aviation training has been given by the air training department of the Army's Artillery school, also located at Fort Sill.

The Army said the new school will use facilities and equipment of the former training department and that the school staff will include representatives of all Army branches authorized to use aircraft.

Ready to Go



Sgt. Frederick T. Hurlock, husband of Laurel J. Hurlock, Spring City RD 1, made his 32d parachute jump recently while on Winter maneuvers in "Exercise Snow Storm" at Camp Drum, N. Y. The paratrooper is attached to the 307th Airborne Engineers, 82d Airborne Division. He is the son of Mrs. Thelma J. Hurlock, Elverson RD 1. Sergeant Hurlock was graduated from Spring City High school in June, 1949, and he enlisted in the Army the same month.

Rosemary Alexander United in Marriage To Raymond Pesta

Rosemary Ann Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Alexander, 107 North Third avenue, Royersford, and Raymond John Pesta, son of Mrs. Anna Pesta and the late George Pesta, 313 Hall street, Phoenixville, were united in marriage in St. Michael's Catholic church, Byzantine Rite, of Mont Clare.

The Rev. Paul L. Shogan, rector, performed a double ring ceremony before an altar banked with baskets of flowers and ferns.

The bride was given in marrage by her father, was attired in a gown of white nylon tulle over taffeta, styled with a tucked bodice, and a bouffant skirt which extended into a long train.

Her fingertip length veil was arranged from a crown of seed pearls and beads. She carried a white prayer book adorned with a large white orchid and lillies-of-the-valley, with white ribboned streamers and tiny bows.

Mrs. Michael Pesta, a sister-in-law of the bridegroom, attended as matron of honor. She wore a waltz length gown of turquoise nylon net over taffeta, featuring a shirred bodice and rows of tiny ruffles around the skirt.

She also wore a matching headdress and a stole over her strapless gown and carried a sunburst bouquet of pink and turquois (petite fleurs).

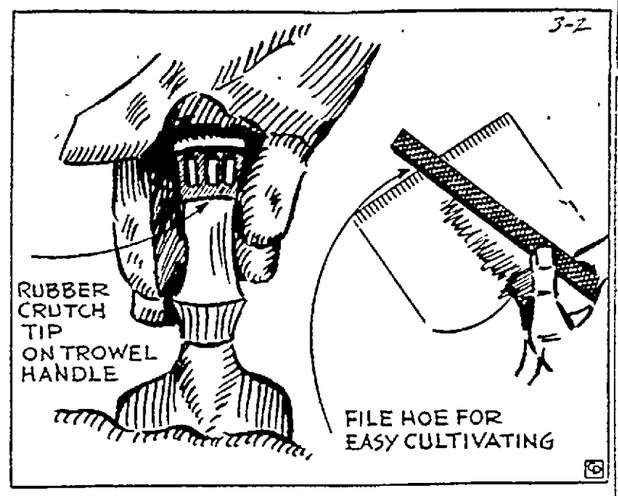
Michael Pesta, a brother of the bridegroom, served as best man at the wedding the past Saturday. A wedding reception was held in the home of the bridegroom's mother for members of the families and friends, after which the couple left on a wedding trip.

The bride graduated from Royersford High school with the class of 1949 and attended Norristown Business college. She is employed by Superior Tube company at Evansburg.

The bridegroom attended Phoenixville High school and served three years with the US Army during World War II in the Pacific theater of operations.

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Sharp Tools Widen Gardener's Ability

Dull tools slow up garden work, while sharp tools make work easier, especially for the home gardener whose muscles have softened over Winter.

Trowel-palm is a common ailment when Spring gardening starts. Trowel-palm is often the result of working in a heavy clay soil with a trowel and finding upon finishing the job that the palm of the hand is sore and sometimes blistered.

To avoid trowel-palm to a great extent put a rubber crutch tip on the end of the trowel handle, as shown.

These rubber crutch tips can be obtained at most hardware or drug stores.

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IT IS GOOD practice to file the cutting edge of a garden hoe, as illustrated. Filing not only sharpens the cutting edge of the hoe and thus makes cultivation that much easier, but it will also remove burrs which result from hitting the hoe edge against stones.

Clean tools are the sign of a competent, careful gardener. All tools should be cleaned before putting away. Metal tools which have become rusted should be cleaned with a wire brush and then rubbed well with emery paper.

After the rust has been removed, oil or grease the bright metal surfaces to prevent or at least retard further accumulation of rust.

Conditioners Aid Gardener

Some gardeners have learned that waxing garden tools helps to keep them in better working condition, as well as rust-free.

There has been a great deal of controversy about the new miracle products, known as soil conditioners. There are to date over fifty products on the market, and numerous claims.

Soil conditioners are particularly helpful if you have a problem soil. They work well for clay soils, for soils that run off under rain and for soils that are difficult to spade or to grow grass seed.

Conditioners act on these soils chemically and turn clay particles into tiny balls or aggregates.

First Garden Job of Year Is to Feed And Seed Lawn

When the calendar says that Spring is here, experienced gardeners put on sweaters, and rubbers if necessary, and go out even on muddy soil to perform the first two tasks of the planting season—applying plant food, and sowing grass seed.

Timing is of the essence, for these operations. Winter breaks up with messy mixture of freezing and thawing, snow and sunshine, and while these conditions make beginning gardeners stay indoors, the veterans know they are made to order for spreading plant food, and dropping lawn seed on the thin and bare spots.

When the ground thaws out after a freezing night, once the deep frost has been drawn out, the surface of the soil will be seen to have a honey-comb appearance. Tiny holes will be left in thawing soil, which shrinks as it thaws.

Farmers sow oats on soil like this and say the seed "muds in." Grass seed finds its own cover, and plant food is carried by the draining water down to the roots of perennial plants.

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GRASS SEEDS do not need cover so much as lodgment. Too deep a soil covering may delay its germination seriously, because it needs sunlight for germination. But when sown on a smooth bare surface, it is easily washed off by a light shower, so that spot continues bare, while a good stand of grass appears on the nearest low patch of open soil to which the seed was washed.

Seed finds lodgement in the honeycomb soil of early Spring; later you will have to loosen up the bare spots before sowing, and cover the seed which you sow on thin places with a light top dressing of sand and sifted soil, to keep the seed in place.

Lawn grasses grow best in cool weather; and the young plants from your new seed have plenty of growing to do before they are subject to the ordeal of hot, dry weather, and seed bearing.

The longer they can grow in cool, moist weather, the better they will survive the Summer test. So the longer you wait, the less chance your new seed has to develop into vigorous, permanent grass plants.

PLANT FOOD spread should be chiefly inorganic, the commercial plant foods as distinguished from manures. Organic materials are not made available to plants until temperatures of the soil rise above 70 degrees, but the chemical foods are available right away.

Always feed perennial borders at this season. There will be no danger of burning anything, and the food will find its way down to the roots without disturbing them.

If you feed plants well at the beginning of the season, when growth is just starting, they will enjoy a vigorous youth, and develop extensive roots, which in turn will reach out to find their own food to maintain the top growth.

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TWO COUNTIES WIN POSITIONS WITH TOP IN US

Chester, Berks Also Place Second and Fifth on State List

Chester and Berks counties were among the first 100 counties in the US in the gross value of products sold from farms, according to 1950 census figures recently made available by the US Department of Agriculture.

Five Pennsylvania counties won places on the list.

Chester county was second highest in the State and 47th in the national rating.

Berks county ranked fifth in the State total and 89th in the national total.

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OBSERVERS NOTED that each of the counties ranks high in the production of poultry and livestock. Pennsylvania farmers are now deriving three-fourth of their income from these two sources.

Other Pennsylvania counties placing on the list are Lancaster, first; York, third, and Bucks, fourth.

Up to the time that certain counties in California began large scale irrigation farming for production of fruit and vegetables, Lancaster county always led all other counties in the United States in the value of farm products sold, the Department said.

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LANCASTER WAS 5th in 1930 and 1940 and is still the leading county in the US in value of products grown without the aid of extensive irrigation.

Farm production figures in the 1950 census are for the year 1949.

Crop values for the Pennsylvania counties were:

Lancaster: $69,681,000.
Chester: $31,107,000.
York: $25,757,000.
Bucks: $23,224,000.
Berks: $22,888,000.

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LOS ANGELES COUNTY, California, ranks first in the US with farm products sold in 1949 totaling a value of almost $157,000,000.

Next come, Fresno, Kern and Tulare counties, California. Maricopa county, Arizona; San Joaquin, California; Weld county, Nevada; Imperial county, California, and Lancaster, in ninth place on the national scoresheet.

Holstein-Friesian Cow Completes Registry Test

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Feb. 20—With 614 pounds of butterfat and 14,549 pounds of milk testing 4.2 percent to her credit, Katie Rolmar Lochinvar, a registered Holstein-Friesian cow owned by Henry D. Landis, Schwenksville, has completed a 365-day production test in official herd improvement registry.

She was milked two times daily, and was 2-years-1-month of age when she began her testing period.

Her record averages approximately 19 quarts of milk daily for the period covered by her test.

Testing was supervised by Pennsylvania State college, in cooperation with the Holstein-Friesian association of America.

Future Farmers Visit



A delegation of the Future Farmers of America call on President Dwight D. Eisenhower at the White House. They are (l. to r.): James Dillon, president, Jones, La.; Bill Soram, vice-president, Dundas, Minn.; James Willis, secretary, McCall, S.C.; Frank Reed Jr., vice-president; Huntsville, Ark.; Donald Avis, vice-president, Fallon, Nev.

Tractor Club Holds First Meeting

Twenty-five prospective members of the 4-H Tractor Maintenance club attended the organizational meeting held at the Keystone Grange hall

Also present were parents interested in the program and representatives of six local farm-implement dealers.

The implement dealers have offered services of trained personnel, equipment for the work and a place to hold the meetings.

Otto Licht of an oil company spoke on the national awards program explaining how club members can become eligible to win medals on the county level, a trip to the National 4-H club congress in Chicago as State winner and a college scholarship as a national winner.

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HAL BRANNAKA explained what work each member would be expected to do and how work sheets should be completed.

A movie, "Live Power Harvest" was shown to further explain the tractor maintenance program and its advantages.

John Reinford, club leader, explained the schedule to be followed during the next three months and issued club work sheet books.

Each member signed registration cards.

A demonstration on tractor safety was given by assistant county agent James Haldeman using tractor models.

Plans for the next meeting were announced. Meeting place will be Creamery farm supply, Creamery, 7:30 p. m. Monday. Lessons for this meeting will include use of the operator's manual and air cleaners.

NURSERYMEN TOLD

YORK, Feb. 20 (AP)—Commercial nurserymen of Pennsylvania were advised today to learn more about woody plants in order to help their business. "Many commercial nurserymen do not stock some varieties of shrubs and trees that have proven successful in their areas," Dr. Donald Wyman, Harvard university, said.

Farm Price Decline Creates Interest In Farmer's Problems, Leader Says

The growing interest labor groups, housewives, civic organizations and other consumers are taking in farm problems is one of the best things that has happened to the farmer in years, according to R. N. Benjamin, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania Farm bureau cooperative association, Harrisburg.

"For years consumers have accepted their food bill as part of the high cost of living without asking many questions," Benjamin said, "they just assumed the farmers were getting rich at their expense. Now they are seeing farm prices drop dramatically, while prices at the grocery store do not.

It has made them ask where their money is really going, and that's a good thing for everybody."

Benjamin, who was one of the founders of the statewide farmer's cooperative, declared that consumers can help protect future food supplies as our population grows only after arming themselves with the facts of the farm situation.

"When farm prices fall disproportionately," he declared, "it's a danger sign in our economy, just like a fever in the human body. If it persists, we'd better do something to correct the cause.

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"FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS, farmers have been feeling a tightening pinch between rising costs and falling prices. Worse is foreseen for 1953. In this situation it is heartening to see our urban population begin to ask why.

"Our national economy has always rested on the foundation of food and fiber produced by agriculture. Fifty years ago that foundation was a broad one, with a large percentage of our population on the farm," he declared. "Now, the astonishingly small number of less than 8 percent of our population are the actual commercial producers of our food and fiber. This presents our national economy now as a sort of inverted pyramid and increases the danger that would result from agricultural depression," he said.

"Farmers are the first to suffer, of course, but the fact is that no part of our economy can afford to have that foundation of food production knocked out from under, or badly damaged by depression.

"One of the greatest dangers from this economic pinch on the farm is its cost in fertility of the land. In hard times, the farmer must 'mine' his soil, taking out fertility which he can't afford to replace. In doing this, he is not only depleting his working capitol, but he is damaging the land's productive capacity for many years to come; and that cuts into our future food supply.

"RECENT YEARS of relative prosperity on the farm have enabled us to build up soil fertility which was sadly depleted in the depression. If we allow this fertility to be lost again, in the face of rising population, consumers as well as farmers of the future will pay heavily for it.

State College Slates Beef Cattle Course

A three days short course for beef cattle herdsmen will be held March 3, 4 and 5, at the Pennsylvania State college where they will do class work and also receive practical training in the college barns, according to county agent R. G. Waltz.

Those who enroll will be trained in fitting and grooming beef cattle to show, and on feeding, breeding, and management. They will be instructed in genetics and disease of cattle, and registration and pedigrees.

In addition to regular members of the college staff, their instructors will include J. V. Coyner and Bud Snidow, both of Warrenton, Virginia, eastern field men for the Angus and Hereford associations.

Farm Management Talks Scheduled

Free talks on farm management will be presented in Kimberton Grange hall Wednesday by two State college experts.

The all-day sessions will be sponsored by the Agricultural Extension association of Chester county in co-operation with the college.

At 10 a. m. there will be a talk on chemical weed control by George H. Berggren, followed by a discussion of dairy stable ventilation by Joseph A. McCurdy.

Both men are agriculture specialists at State college.

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THE THIRD morning session will be concerned with sprayer operation for forage crop insect control.

Afternoon meetings beginning at 1 p. m. will include a talk on managing pastures for maximum feed production and another on drying grain and hay with machinery.

County Agent Robert A. Powers Jr., said lunch will be available at the Grange hall after the morning sessions.

The extension service meetings will be open to the public, Powers announced.

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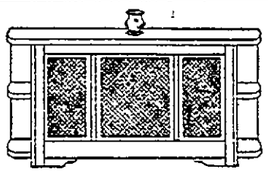
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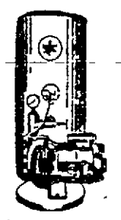
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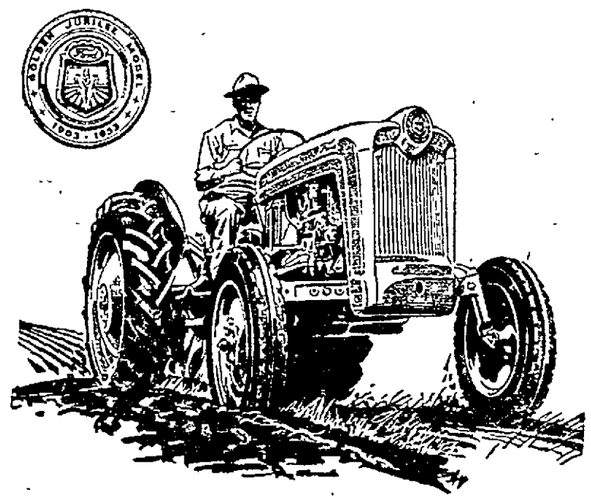

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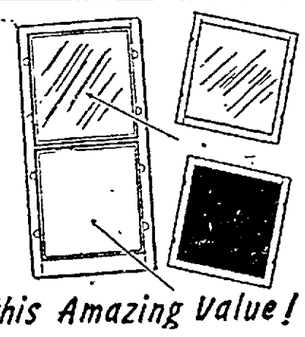
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6:00	Bill Givens	Rural Digest	Rise and Shine	Dawn Patrol
6:15	" "	" "	" " "	News; Music
6:30	Jack Pyle	John Trent	" " "	Dawn Patrol
6:45	" "	" "	" " "	News
7:00	Jack Pyle	News; Weather	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
7:15	News; Music	Here's Harvey	" " "	" "
7:30	Jack Pyle	" "	News; Weather	News; Mac
7:45	" "	News	Rise and Shine	McGuire
8:00	Jack Pyle	Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
8:15	" "	" "	" " "	News
8:30	Howdy Doody	Green Thumb	" " "	Mac McGuire
8:45	" "	" "	Morning Extra	" "
9:00	Howdy Doody	John Trent	No School Today	News; Fun
9:15	" "	" "	" " "	For Kids
9:30	Anne Lee	Music Time	" " "	Little Betty Ann
9:45	" "	Robert Q. Lewis	" " "	" " "
10:00	Research Finds	Galen Drake	No School Today	Little Betty Ann
10:15	National Guard	Super Noodle	" " "	Guest Star
10:30	Mary Lee Taylor	Quiz Kids	Space Patrol	Xavier Cugat
10:45	" "	" "	" "	Saddest Story
11:00	My Secret Story	News; Let's	Sports Clinic	Eddie Fisher
11:15	" "	Pretend	" "	Novelty Shop
11:30	Hollywood Love	Give and Take	Eddie Fisher	Mac McGuire
11:45	Story	" "	" "	Civilization

AFTERNOON

12:00	News	Today's Theater	101 Ranch Boys	Man On the
12:15	On The	" "	" "	Farm
12:30	Sunnyside	Stars Over	Melody Roundup	News
12:45	"	Hollywood	"	Record Room
1:00	Farm and Home	Fun For All	News	Record Room
1:15	" "	" "	Guest Star	" "
1:30	On The	City Hospital	Here's to Vets	" "
1:45	Sunnyside	" "	Report to People	" "
2:00	Saturday	Music With the	Metropolitan	Record Room
2:15	Symphony	Girls	Opera	" "
2:30	"	Make Way For	"	" "
2:45	"	Youth	"	" "
3:00	Saturday	Varsity Drag	Metropolitan	Record Room
3:15	Symphony	" "	Opera	" "
3:30	"	" "	"	" "
3:45	"	" "	"	" "
4:00	Saturday	Varsity Drag	Metropolitan	Record Room
4:15	Symphony	" "	Opera	" "
4:30	"	" "	"	" "
4:45	"	" "	"	" "
5:00	Junior Town	Eddie Fisher	Tea and	Record Room
5:15	Meeting	" "	Crumpets	" "
5:30	Income Taxes	Saturday at the	"	Sports
5:45	Music Hall	Chase	Lee Stewart	Baukhage

EVENING

6:00	News	News, Music,	News	News
6:15	"	Sports	Tom Moorehead	Here's to Vets
6:30	NBC Symphony	Just You and I	Joseph Miller	Sports
6:45	"	News	Bob Crosby	Ray Block
7:00	NBC Symphony	Coronation	Star Review	Let's Go to Town
7:15	"	Calling	Hits	News
7:30	Old Curiosity	Vaughn Monroe	Footlight	Down You Go
7:45	Shoppe	"	Favorites	" "
8:00	Bob and Ray	Gene Autry	Dancing Party	Twenty
8:15	" "	" "	" "	Questions
8:30	Reuben, Reuben	Tarzan	" "	Take A Number
8:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:00	Pee Wee King	Gangbusters	Dancing Party	New England
9:15	" "	" "	" "	Barn Dance
9:30	Grand Old	Gunsmoke	" "	Lombardoland
9:45	Opera	"	" "	U. S. A.
10:00	Eddie Arnold	Saturday	Saturday at	Chicago Theater
10:15	" "	Country Style	Shamrock	" "
10:30	Meredith	The Line up	Perspective	" "
10:45	Willson	" "	"	" "
11:00	News	News	Bob Horn	C'mon 'n' Dance
11:15	Jean Shepherd	Music	Bandstand	" " "
11:30	Show	Oscar Dumont	"	" " "
11:45	"	" "	"	" " "
12 p.m.	News	News; Weather	Sports; News	Bandwagon

ON THE AIR SUNDAY

MORNING

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
8:00	George Crook,	News	Christian Voices	Revival Time
8:15	Organist	Glee Club	" "	" "
8:30	Jack Arthur	Invitation to	Rev Oral	Rev. D G
8:45	Show	Learning	Roberts	Barnhouse
9:00	News	Choir	Wings of	Word of Life
9:15	Ask the Doc	News	Healing	Hour
9:30	Zoo Visit	Career Forum	Voice of	Dave Rose Orch
9:45	America Sings	" "	Prophecy	Christian Scie'ce
10:00	National Radio	Church of	Israel Message	Victorious Life
10:15	Pulpit	the Air	" "	" "
10:30	Art of Living	" "	Lee Stewart	TV Star Parade
10:45	News	" "	" "	News
11:00	Eternal Light	News; Music on	Lee Stewart	Holy Trinity
11:15	" "	Stage	" "	Church
11:30	UN Beat	Children's Hour	Within Our	" "
11:45	Tax Your Wits	" "	Gates	" "

AFTERNOON

12:00	Fountain of	Children's	Video Review	Randy Dixon
12:15	Facts	Hour;	" "	News; Sports
12:30	Music by Roth	Planet Men	Phila Catholic	Star Parade
12:45	" "	" "	Hour	Unexpected
1:00	Theater Music	Radio Rangers	Old Fashioned	Unseen, Advisor
1:15	" "	Philadelphia	Revival Hour	" "
1:30	Phil Spitalny	Symphony	" "	Star Time
1:45	" "	Orch	" "	John's Fife
2:00	Catholic Hour	Symphonette	Herald of Truth	Let's Talk
2:15	" "	Symphony	" "	Music
2:30	American	"	Video Review	Star Parade
2:45	Forum	"	" "	News
3:00	Freedom	Symphony	Marines in	Curtain Calls
3:15	Foun'n Award	"	Review	" "
3:30	On The Line	"	Video Review	" "
3:45	Elmo Roper	"	Sunday Concert	News
4:00	G I. Joe	America Calling	Forum	Under Arrest
4:15	" "	" "	Footnotes	" "
4:30	Jason and the	Quiz Kids	Billy Graham	Dear Margy,
4:45	Golden Fleece	" "	" "	It's Murder
5:00	The Chase	Arthur Godfrey	World This Week	The Shadow
5:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
5:30	Counterspy	Robert Trout	Greatest Story	True Detective
5:45	" "	And The News	" "	Mysteries

EVENING

6:00	Hy Gardiner	December Bride	Drew Pearson	Was A
6:15	Meet the Veep	" "	Don Gardiner	Communist
6:30	Juvenile Jury	Our Miss Brooks	Antell	Freedom U.S.A.
6:45	" "	" "	Vacationland	" "
7:00	My Son, Jeep	Jack Benny	George Sokolsky	Affairs of Peter
7:15	" "	" "	Three Suns	Salem
7:30	The Aldrich	Amos 'n' Andy	Time Capsule	Nick Carter
7:45	Family	" "	" "	" "
8:00	Phil Harris and	Edgar Bergan,	American Music	Hawaii Calls
8:15	Alice Faye	Charlie McCa'y	Hall	" "
8:30	Theater Guild	My L'ttle Margie	"	Enchanted Hour
8:45	" "	" " "	"	" "
9:00	Theater Guild	Theater	Walter Winchell	Jazz Nocturne
9:15	" "	"	Melody Highway	" "
9:30	Dragnet	Escape	" "	Dr Wm Ward
9:45	"	"	Allister Cook	Ayer
10:00	Confidential	Music For You	Album Shop	Dr Billy
10:15	Investigator	" "	" "	Graham
10:30	Meet the Press	Loud Thinking	Science Editor	Squad Room
10:45	" "	U N. Report	Willie Ley	" "
11:00	News	News	Get It Off Your	News
11:15	Clifton Utley	Music	Mind	Symphony Hour
11:30	Jerry Warren	Art Wanner	Music You Want	" "
11:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
12 p.m.	News; Music	News; Music	News, Sports	Bandwagon

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Saturday Time	Channel No.	Program
1:00 P. M.	3	Hollywood Playhouse
1:00 P. M.	6	Ramar of the Jungle
1:00 P. M.	10	Meet Me At the Zoo
1:30 P. M.	6	Western Theater
1:30 P. M.	10	Armchair Theater
2:00 P. M.	3	Dig Dobson
2:45 P. M.	6	Ramar of the Jungle
3:35 P. M.	10	Cinema
4:35 P. M.	10	Ghost Rider
5:00 P. M.	3	Rex Trailer's Ranch House
5:30 P. M.	3	Roy Rogers
5:30 P. M.	10	John Wayne Theater
6:00 P. M.	3	Range Riders
6:00 P. M.	6	Anywhere U. S. A.
6:30 P. M.	3	Kit Carson
6:30 P. M.	6	News; Sports
6:30 P. M.	10	What In the World
7:00 P. M.	3	My Favorite Story
7:00 P. M.	6	TV Teen Club
7:00 P. M.	10	Stork Club
7:30 P. M.	3	My Hero
7:30 P. M.	6	Live Like a Millionaire
7:30 P. M.	10	Beat the Clock
8:00 P. M.	3	All Star Revue
8:00 P. M.	6	Fireside Playhouse
8:00 P. M.	10	Jackie Gleason
9:00 P. M.	3	Your Show of Shows
9:00 P. M.	6	Saturday Night Fights
9:00 P. M.	10	Abbott and Costello
9:30 P. M.	10	Racket Squad
10:00 P. M.	6	Wrestling
10:30 P. M.	3	Your Hit Parade
10:35 P. M.	6	Film Playhouse
10:30 P. M.	10	It's News to Me
11:00 P. M.	3	Playhouse

Sunday Time	Channel No.	Program
2:00 P. M.	6	Voice of Philadelphia
2:00 P. M.	10	Junior Genius
2:30 P. M.	3	American Forum
2:30 P. M.	6	Playhouse
2:30 P. M.	10	They Shall be Heard
3:00 P. M.	3	Victory at Sea
3:00 P. M.	10	Lamp Unto My Feet
3:30 P. M.	3	Lilli Palmer Show
3:30 P. M.	10	Man of the Week
3:45 P. M.	3	Nature of Things
4:00 P. M.	6	What One Person Can Do
4:00 P. M.	3	Kuiz, Fran and Ollie
4:00 P. M.	10	Balance Your Budget
4:15 P. M.	6	Opportunity Unlimited
4:30 P. M.	3	Zoo Parade
4:30 P. M.	6	The Name's the Same
4:30 P. M.	10	Omnibus
5:00 P. M.	3	Hall of Fame
5:00 P. M.	6	Saner Circus
5:30 P. M.	3	Frontier Playhouse
6:00 P. M.	6	Ramar of the Jungle
6:00 P. M.	10	You Are There
6:30 P. M.	3	Stranger than Fiction
6:30 P. M.	6	Philadelphia This Week
6:30 P. M.	10	See It Now
6:45 P. M.	3	Kieran's Kaleidoscope
7:00 P. M.	3	Red Skelton Show
7:00 P. M.	6	You Asked For It
7:00 P. M.	10	Gene Autry
7:30 P. M.	3	Mr. Peepers
7:30 P. M.	6	Broadway to Hollywood
7:30 P. M.	10	Jack Benny Show
8:00 P. M.	6	All-Star News
8:00 P. M.	3	Comedy Hour
8:00 P. M.	10	Toast of the Town
8:00 P. M.	3	TV Playhouse
9:00 P. M.	6	Rocky King
9:00 P. M.	10	Theater
9:30 P. M.	6	Plainclothesman

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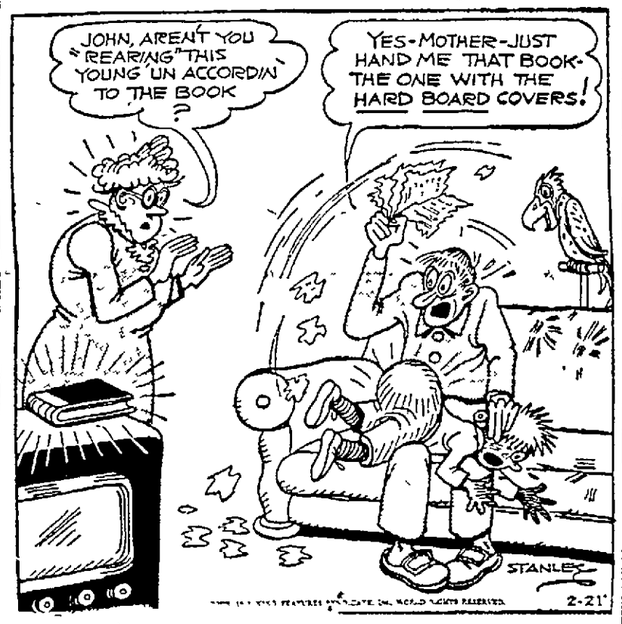
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TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Doom
5. Mast
9. Wading bird
10. Simpletons (var. pl.)
12. Ireland
13. Arched gallery
14. Part of "to be"
15. Is obligated
16. Ahead
17. Heavy hammers
19. A genus of swine
20. Color
21. Scoff
22. Potato (dial.)
25. Civil wrongs
26. On top
27. Bovine animal
28. Pig pen
29. Head coverings
33. Troop (abbr.)
34. Writing implements
35. By way of
36. Birds of prey
38. Rumanian coins
39. Reconnoitering plane
40. Diminished, as color
41. Soviet news-gathering agency
42. Grows old

DOWN
1. Wild
2. Ascend
3. Unit of weight
4. Half an em
5. Painful spots
6. Frontiersman's shoes
7. Polynesian drink
8. Temporary fortification
9. Chops
11. Becomes aware of
13. Filled with solemn wonder
15. S-shaped molding
18. Fall in drops
19. Title of respect
21. Robe
22. Savors
23. Draw attention to
24. Plaything
25. Units of weight
27. Studies
29. Source of sugar (pl.)
30. Shun
31. Prongs
32. Spoke
34. Addition sign
37. Black-tailed gazelle (Tibet)
38. Satchel
40. Music note

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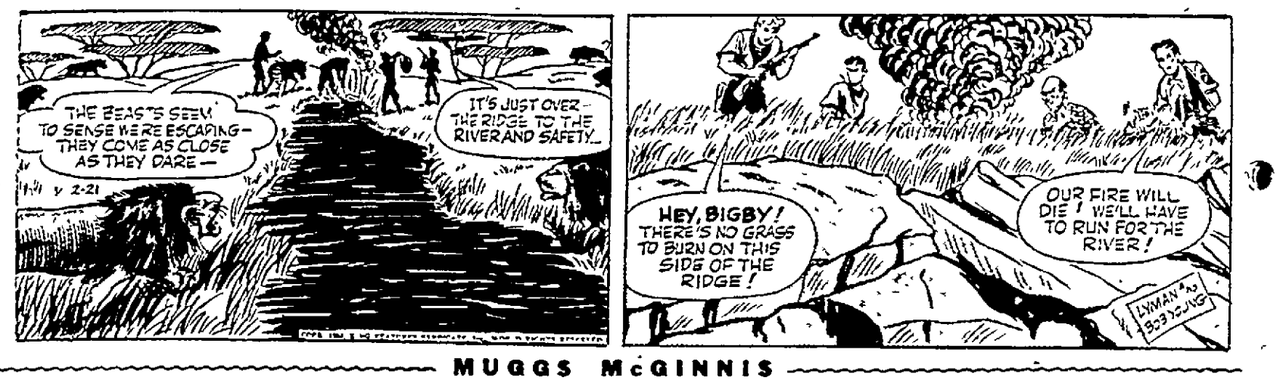
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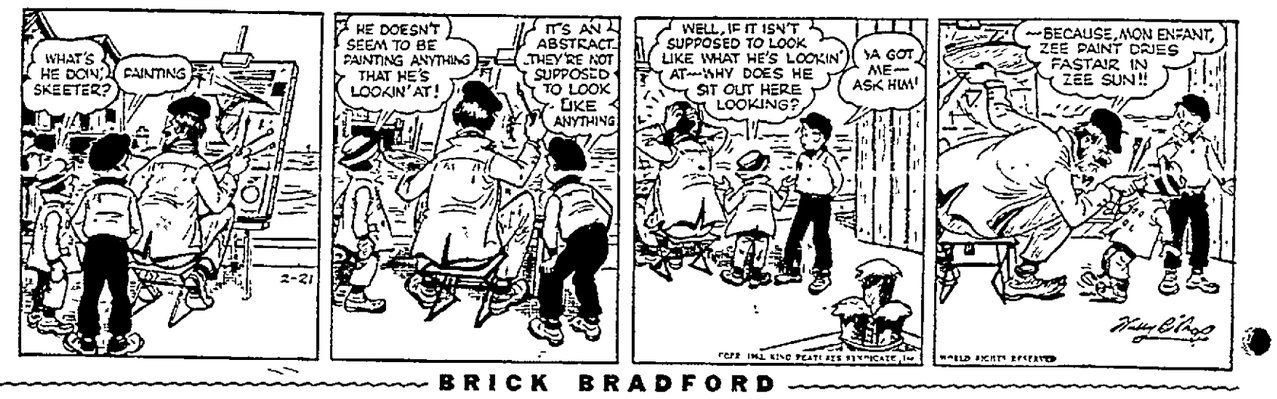
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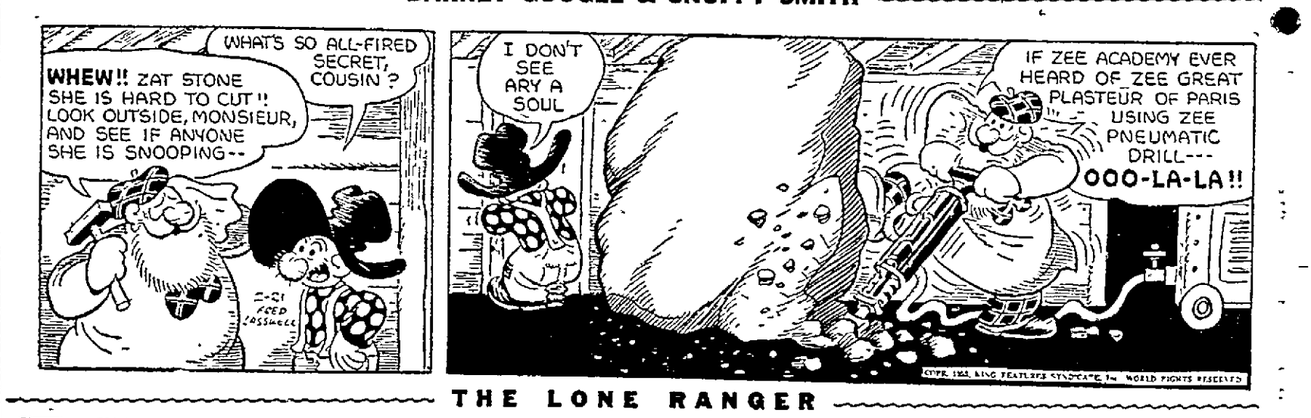
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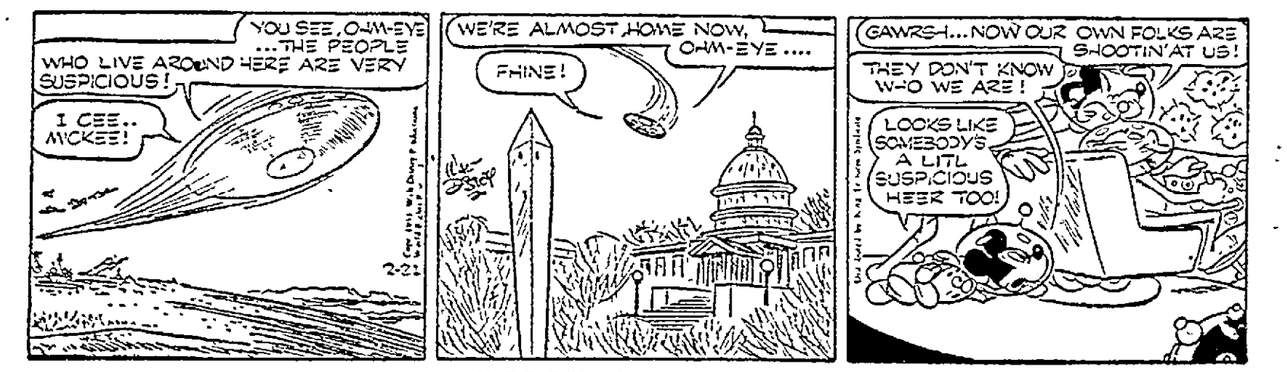
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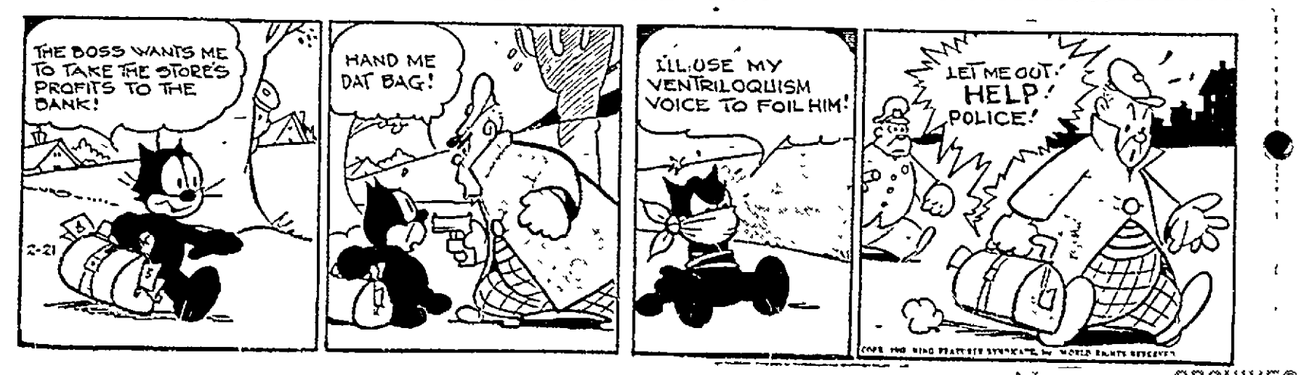
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Trojans Beat Dragons, 90-61

DAVE BREAKS 3 RECORDS SET BY DICK IN 50-51

By ED TAGGERT

Dave Ricketts, who owns more records than a disc jockey, added three more to his collection last night.

While leading his Pottstown Trojans to a 90-61 victory at Bridgeport, Captain Dave clicked for 31 points. The win keeps PHS at the top of the ladder in second round play of the Ches-Mont league with only one game remaining.

In rearranging the record books Dave broke three standards set by his brother Dick during the 1950-1951 season.

1. Most points in season, PHS—557 (542).

2. Most points in season, Chest-Mont league—306 (278).

3. Most field goals in season, Chest-Mont league—117 (112).

The old records are in parentheses.

Dave also broke his own record of 68 foul goals in one season by bringing his total up to 72. But Dave Cox of West Chester went him a few better by improving his season's mark to 74. The pair meet Monday night and the final record will be decided then.

The Trojans were not pressed too hard to win their 19th game of the season against a pair of losses. The Dragons had a good time shooting from outside — with the permission from Pottstown's snug zone — but had no better luck slowing down the visitors attack than other teams in the league.

Ricketts scored his team's first nine points while the Porters were nabbing only three. By the end of the quarter Pottstown led, 21-12.

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MIKE KRICZKY, runnerup to Ricketts as usual, scored 20 points to continue his late season spurt that has moved him up among the loop leaders. He practically took charge of the second quarter scoring for Pottstown by bagging five field goals and four fouls.

He started the period with three straight fielders, each one of a different variety, and closed out the quarter with three fouls and a layup.

By halftime, even with Ricketts on the bench much of the second period, Pottstown led, 42-26.

In the third session Coach Ed Good had his charges let the Dragons fire from the outside but kept the middle well bottled up. Ed Denczi and Pat Picarello took advantage of the tight zone and hit with a good percentage of their shots from far out.

Denczi finished with 20 points, high for the loser. Seven of his nine fielders were on set shots.

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DOUG MOSER held his place in the 'big three' by tabbing 18 points. He ran his foul shooting record to 11 in a row by converting all six tries. Tuesday against Coatesville he went 5-5.

Good used his entire squad, with everybody getting to see quite a bit of action. Dick Kovach drove through for two field goals and picked up ten charity tosses on other drives.

Howie Bedell came back in the second half to play a great rebounding game, and scored three fielders out of scrambles.

The 90 points was the second highest total scored by Pottstown this year. Only the 121 points in the home game against Phoenixville was higher.

POTTSTWN	FG-ST	FM-FA	R	A	P
Ricketts	11-26	9-11	17	4	31
Kriczky	8-21	4-5	9	1	20
Bedell	3-7	2-3	5	0	8
Moser	6-15	6-6	5	2	18
Sutton	0-0	0-0	2	2	0
Harvey	0-2	4-5	2	0	4
Kovach	2-6	5-10	4	0	9
Chenev	0-2	0-0	0	1	0
Pollock	0-3	0-0	2	0	0
Gray	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
	30-82	30-40	50	10	90

BRIDGEPORT	FG-ST	FM-FA	R	A	P
Mazzerle	5-8	0-2	2	0	10
Picarello	4-15	1-1	2	1	9
Storti	0-1	1-1	2	1	1
Phillippi	4-8	3-5	6	1	11
Denczi	9-20	2-3	2	0	20
DeStefano	0-5	1-2	0	1	1
Yakscoe	0-2	0-0	0	1	0
Buddy	1-1	0-0	0	0	2
Borzillia	1-11	5-8	3	2	7
	24-71	13-22	17	7	61

Score by periods:
Pottstown ..... 21 21 26 22—90
Bridgeport ..... 12 14 14 21—61

Key: FG—field goals; ST—shots tried; FM—fouls made; FA—fouls attempted; R—rebounds; A—assists; P—total points.

C-M LEAGUE

STANDINGS
(Second Half)

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Pottstown	5	0	Phoenixville	1	4
Coatesville	4	1	Bridgeport	1	4
West Chester	3	2	Downingtown	1	4
Berwyn	3	3			

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES
Pottstown 90, Bridgeport 61.
Coatesville 71, Phoenixville 59.
West Chester 62, Berwyn 54.

George Araujo Gains Split Decision

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP)—Sharpshooting George Araujo, 22-year-old Providence, R.I. prospect, inched closer to a title shot with lightweight champion Jimmy Carter tonight by winning a split decision over Paddy (The Billygoat) DeMarco in a 10-rounder at Madison Square Garden. Araujo weighed 133½, DeMarco 135.

Both judges voted for Araujo, but Referee Harry Kessler scored it for DeMarco, 6-3-1. Judge Charley Shortell had the New England kid winning, 6-4 while Judge Bert Grant had it 6-3-1 for Araujo. The AP card called it even 4-4-2, with Araujo on top with points 5 to 4.

All three officials gave the last round to DeMarco, the swarming Brooklyn boy who often does as much damage with his head as he does with his gloves.

Araujo came out of the scrap with a cut atop his head and Paddy was puffed around the right eye where Araujo kept driving home a series of stinging jabs.

BASKETBALL SCORES

SCHOLASTIC
Lower Merion 69, Upper Darby 61.
Haverford 68, Norristown 64.
Allentown 46, Easton 42.
Chester 68, Abington 52.
Bethlehem 65, Allentown CC 63.
Palmerton 56, Slatington 52.
Summit Hill 66, Lansford 43.
Nesquehoning 67, Blythe Twp. 43.
Catasauqua 66, Whitehall 52.
Emmanus 67, Lehighton 54.
Parkland 82, Hellertown 63.
Tamaqua 67, Coaldale 52.
Wilson Borough 65, Nazareth 77.
Quakertown 41, Hatboro 33.
Northampton 71, Stroudsburg 57.
Coplay 79, Pen Argyl 59.
Chambersburg 88, Mechanicsburg 49.
LaSalle HS 61, No. Catholic 51.
Northeast 74, Frankford 51.
Franklin 46, Bok 41.
Penn Charter 51, Malvern 32.
Friends Central 50, Episcopal 46.
Haverford School 62, Germantown Academy 49.
Lock Haven 74, Jersey Shore 55.
Harrisburg Catholic 82, Mt. Carmel Catholic 57.
Lancaster 50, Steelton 47.
Lebanon 55, York 46.
Shippensburg 63, Waynesboro 54.
Palmyra 65, Heidelburg 40.
Middletown 62, Lancaster Catholic 53.
Hershey 58, Carlisle 39.
Gettysburg 57, Hanover 53.
Renovo 54, Bellefonte 53.
Plymouth 66, Wilkes-Barre GAR 54.
Newport Twp. 65, Kingston 64.
Nanticoke 62, Berwick 51.
Luzerne 58, Shickshinny 47.
Wilkes-Barre Coughlin 81, Hanover Twp. 70.
Edwardsville 84, Forty Fort 79.
Pittston 61, W. Pittston 53.
Larksville 108, Exeter 59.
Fairview Twp. 73, Ashley 71.
Swoyersville 71, Wilkes-Barre Twp. 60.
Scranton 75, Carbondale 54.
Scranton Tech 76, Dunmore 58.
Clarks Summit 54, Dickson City 51.
Taylor 65, Throop 62.
Hazelton 75, Pottsville 57.
Orwigsburg 62, Hegins Twp. 58.
Cass Twp. 60, Port Carbon 52.
Schuylkill Haven 70, Tremont 53.
St. Clair 82, Gilberton 58.
Williamsport 47, Altoona 36.
South Williamsport 72, Selinsgrove 54.
Northumberland 68, Sunbury 58.
Lewisburg 56, Danville 51.
Bloomsburg 62, Milton 47.
Mifflinburg 57, Trevorton 47.
Dallastown 52, Susquehannock 49.
York Cath. 55, Reading Central Cath. 44.
Johnstown 66, Windber 21.
Westmont 54, Ferndale 37.
Hickory 88, Greenville 76.
Sharpsville 71, Mercer 29.
Bradford 64, DuBois 32.
Kane 70, Johnsonburg 59.
Coudersport 70, Shinglehouse 61.
Cresson 76, Patton 63.
Altoona Cath 53, Lilly 42.
Hollidaysburg 63, Tyrone 31.
Clearfield 61, Punxsutawney 45.
Erie Cathederal Prep 52, Erie Tech 50.
Erie Academy 50, Conneaut (O) 43.
Erie East 58, Union City 56.
Oil City 62, Warren 49.
Meadville 51, Corry 31.
Franklin 56, Titusville 51.

COLLEGE
Lock Haven STC 67, Shippensburg 56.
Rio Grande 100, Wilberforce 51.
W. Virginia 94, VMI 70.
Marshall 80, Morris Harvey 70.
Mt. St. Mary's 92, Lynchburg 64.
Hofstra 87, Washington (Md.) 71.
John Hopkins 89, Randolph-Macon 76.
Concord 80, Beckley 69.

Hill's Late Drive Beats F & M Frosh for 10th Win

Hill school unleashed a long-range barrage in the last quarter yesterday afternoon to overrun the Franklin and Marshall Freshmen, 59-51.

The stretch-drive romp gave the prep school its 10th triumph in 14 games and brought to an end the two-game losing streak caused by a pair of defeats to Princeton and Penn Freshmen teams.

Coach Perry Bowden was glad to see his Blues regain their shooting, although for three quarters they were unable to shake the Diplomat underlings.

The Hillers took an early lead but late in the period the visitors tied the count at 18-18. Tom Glenn, who did some of his best shooting and rebounding of the season, moved his club out in front again with a foul and a set shot.

Andy Wilson pushed home a one-hander from the side and Hill led 23-20 at halftime.

Jim Radcliffe, Hill's high man with 15 points, opened the second half with a jump shot to give the home team a five point lead, the largest it was to get for a while.

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JIM BEAN kept F&M hot on the Hill's tail with his dead-eyed foul shooting. He paced his club with 15 points and was 9-9 at the foul line. In the third period, he scored six fouls and a field goal to help his club narrow The Hill's lead to one point, 36-35, as the quarter ended.

Wilson, who had scored his team's last bucket on a fast break in the third period, started the big drive in the fourth with a pusher from the corner. Radcliffe jumped for a basket, added a foul and The Hill was six points out in front.

Wilson continued to pop from the corner and side court, twice connecting for fielders and boosting his club's advantage to 10 points.

John Phillips was also effective from outside and he dropped through a pair of sets. Both shots were taken in a hurry, but Phillips, who scored 11 points, made them good from far out.

Behind Radcliffe in scoring were Wilson (12) and Glenn and Phillips each with 11. This was one of the best balanced attacks the Blues have displayed.

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IN ADDITION to hitting from the floor on 21 of their 56 shots, Hill made good on 17 out of 21 foul tries.

Bean, who formerly played at Lansdale and Perkiomen academy, was the only visitor over 10 points.

The Hillers moved down the court in a fast break time and again but only once or twice were they able to complete the rush with a field goal.

Radcliffe's passing could have proved as valuable as his shooting had his mates been able to make their shots. Jim faked a shot by jumping high to draw in the defense and then passed to Hill players open under the basket on four occasions. Only once did a goal result.

Bowden and his boys now have an eight-day layover before playing an important battle at Lawrenceville next Saturday.

F & M FRESHMEN	FG-ST	FM-FA	R	A	P
Baughman	3-7	0-4	4	1	6
Chase	4-12	0-0	3	1	8
Weaver	2-4	1-1	1	0	5
Bean	3-12	9-9	10	0	15
Blair	2-13	4-7	9	2	8
Hoover	1-1	1-2	1	0	3
Wendell	2-15	2-4	3	1	6
	17-66	17-37	31	5	51

HILL SCHOOL	FG-ST	FM-FA	R	A	P
Glenn	3-8	5-6	9	0	11
Dailey	0-3	1-2	4	0	1
Radcliffe	6-15	3-3	14	2	15
Wilson	5-12	2-2	6	3	12
Phillips	5-10	1-1	10	1	11
Eidenouer	1-6	5-5	2	1	7
Hamilton	0-1	0-2	2	1	0
Stewart	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Edwards	1-1	0-0	0	0	2
McCrae	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Swezye	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
	21-56	17-21	47	3	59

Score by periods:
F & M Frosh ..... 10 10 15 16—51
Hill School ..... 12 13 13 23—59

Key: FG—field goals; ST—shots tried; FM—fouls made; FA—fouls attempted; R—rebounds; A—assists; P—total points.

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PLAYOFF CHANGED

The date of the Pottstown-Coatesville playoff game at Penn's Palestra in Philadelphia has been changed from next Wednesday evening to next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Penn changed one of its Ivy league games to Thursday night. Two Philadelphia Catholic high teams had scheduled the floor for Thursday night but Penn pushed them back to Wednesday.

That left the Ches-Mont game out entirely, but league officials decided on the Saturday afternoon date since that was the only time the floor is open.

Pottstown's game with West Chester will go on Monday night. Although it was rescheduled from Tuesday night, it will remain on the new date because referees have been contacted and other arrangements have been made.

Jayvees Win Title, Top Dragons, 51-25

The Pottstown Jayvees officially won the Ches-Mont league title last night by beating Bridgeport, 51-25.

Coach Bill McCabe's young team won its 12th straight game and now has a record of 17-4. They are undefeated in 11 league games, and could finish with a perfect record by beating West Chester Monday night.

After building a 19-9 first half lead, the Trojans went far out in front during the remaining two periods.

Merrill Shirey (16) and Al Bodolus (14) led the winners as everyone of McCabe's 14 players took part in the game. Josh Sova, who scored nine points, made some fine driving shots and led his club in a great passing performance.

Pottstown JV	G.	F.	P.
Bodolus	5	4	14
Sova	3	3	9
Shirey	5	6	16
Grim	0	0	0
Kerr	1	1	3
Sundstrom	2	2	6
Wensel	1	1	3
Shaner	0	0	0
Canning	0	0	0
Rhoads	0	0	0
Wampler	0	0	0
Burgess	0	0	0
Smale	0	0	0
Fredericks	0	0	0
Totals	17	17	51

Bridgeport JV	G.	F.	P.
Ries	2	1	3
Dunden	2	0	4
Robbins	3	1	7
Rocerto	3	1	7
Spitko	0	0	0
Messere	0	1	1
Stortl	0	0	0
Carney	0	1	1
Totals	10	5	25

Score by periods:
Pottstown JV ..... 11 8 13 19—51
Bridgeport JV ..... 4 5 6 10—25

Trojanettes Defeat Downingtown, 35-25

The Trojanettes bounced back onto the winning trail yesterday afternoon by beating the Downingtown girls, 35-25.

Coach Peg Mallady credits the defense thrown up by Claudie Elicker, Barbara Yerger, Dixie Shirey and Ann Maxwell for winning Pottstown's fifth game in seven starts. These defenders kept the Downingtown lasses away from the basketball and permitted few clean shots.

Ann Rutter (11) Carol Rutter (9) and Marsha Bailer (8) led the Pottstown scorers. Jane Kenlock scored 14 points for the losers.

The Trojanette jayvees had to come from behind to win their fourth of the season. Trailing 14-9 at halftime, the local girls outscored Downingtown, 17-6 in the last two periods. Ruth Ann Schaeffer led the winners with 14 points.

Downingtown JV	G.	F.	P.
Piererro, f	3	1	8
Sciaretta, f	4	0	8
Stanford, f	2	0	4
Irons, g	0	0	0
McNelly, g	0	0	0
Fisher, g	0	0	0
Totals	9	1	20

Pottstown JV	G.	F.	P.
Graber, f	0	1	1
Schaeffer, f	7	0	14
Bridges, f	4	1	9
Maurer, f	1	0	2
Ulrich, g	0	0	0
Weaver, g	0	0	0
Evans, g	0	0	0
Craig, g	0	0	0
Totals	12	2	26

Score by periods:
Pottstown JV ..... 5 4 8 9—26
Downingtown JV ..... 6 6 4 2—20

Downingtown	G.	F.	P.
Kenlock, f	7	0	14
Hamilton, f	2	1	5
Ippolito, f	2	2	6
Henry, f	0	0	0
Lowell, g	0	0	0
Leurs, g	0	0	0
Cook, g	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	25

Pottstown	G.	F.	P.
C. Rutter, f	2	5	9
A. Rutter, f	5	1	11
Bailer, f	4	-2	8
Keller, f	2	1	5
Elicker, g	0	0	0
Maxwell, g	0	0	0
Shirey, g	0	0	0
Yerger, g	0	0	0
Totals	13	9	35

Score by periods:
Pottstown ..... 4 10 9 12—35
Downingtown ..... 2 7 4 12—25


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NORCO BEATS SPRING CITY, STILL IN CLASS C RUNNING

North Coventry roared down the stretch last night to conk Spring City, 61-34, on the Bucs' straight and narrow boardwalk, gaining its sixth win in the past seven games and a tie for fourth spot in the Perkiomen-Schuylkill loop standings.

Bears Near Crown, Halt Cols, 74-40

Boyertown's Perkiomen-Schuylkill league leaders clipped off their 21st seasonal win last night at Collegeville, romping over the sixth place Cols, 74-40.

Randy Stauffer and Darv Shanley were the ringleaders in the Bears' waltzing to their 12th league win against a single loss, counting 19 and 16, respectively, as Herb Hartman's quint clinched at least a tie for its first league crown.

Fran McManus dipped in with 16 points to pace the losing Cols, who went down to their 10th loss in 13 league starts. He was warmest at the start and finish, with the Cols collapsing in the middle periods for 16 markers between the two.

B-town outscored them, 20-7, in the second and 19-9 in the third after nabbing a 20-13 first stanza advantage.

Gerry Hefelfinger bucketed 11 also for the losers, while the entire Bear squad of 12 pitched in with at least a fieldgoal.

The B-town Jayvees kept the Col yearlings' slate devoid of a win by kayoing the latter with a 65-13 shiner. Bill Graver and Bob Hug evenly divided 20 markers for the winners in that one.

Boyertown JV	G.	F.	P.
Graver	5	0	10
Knaur	1	4	6
Hug	4	2	10
Rothenber'r	0	2	2
Kerr	1	1	3
Sundstrom	2	2	6
Wensel	1	1	3
Shaner	0	0	0
Canning	0	0	0
Rhoads	0	0	0
Wampler	0	0	0
Burgess	0	0	0
Smale	0	0	0
Fredericks	0	0	0
Totals	24	17	65

Collegeville JV	G.	F.	P.
Wagner	1	1	3
Hartman	3	2	8
Galt	0	0	0
Sherm	0	0	0
Yocum	0	2	2
Thompson	0	0	0
Hales	0	0	0
Horvath	0	0	0
Dennis	0	0	0
Totals	4	5	13

Score by periods:
Boyertown JV ..... 16 14 24 11—65
Collegeville JV ..... 2 4 7 0—13

Perkiomen-Schuylkill HS League Standings

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Boyertown	12	1	N. Coventry	7	5
U. Perkiomen	10	2	Collegeville	3	10
Royersford	8	4	Spring City	2	10
W. Pottsgrove	7	5	Schwenksville	0	12

Last Night's Results
Boyertown 74, Collegeville 40.
Royersford 54, West Pottsgrove 36.
North Coventry 61, Spring City 34.

North Coventry	G.	F.	P.
Kinckiner	8	3	19
Foreman	2	0	4
Kully	5	4	14
Petrick	5	2	12
Clemens	0	0	0
Biehl	2	5	9
Batdorf	0	3	3
Pence	0	0	0
Totals	22	17	61

Spring City	G.	F.	P.
Edwards	1	0	2
Himes	1	0	2
Addis	1	0	2
Stoudt	1	1	3
Finkbiner	1	3	5
Fox	3	1	7
Kropps	1	0	2
Bainbridge	4	3	11
Millard	0	0	0
Totals	13	8	34

Score by periods:
North Coventry ..... 11 13 19 18—61
Spring City ..... 9 12 5 8—34

North Coventry JV	G.	F.	P.
Brown	0	4	4
Orr	1	2	4
Hewitt	5	1	11
McAfee	1	0	2
Carty	0	1	1
Laverty	1	1	3
Totals	8	9	25

Spring City JV	G.	F.	P.
Hunter	1	2	4
Stipa	3	2	8
E. Bliss	0	0	0
Miller	1	0	2
J. Bliss	4	2	10
Jeffries	1	4	6
Totals	10	10	30

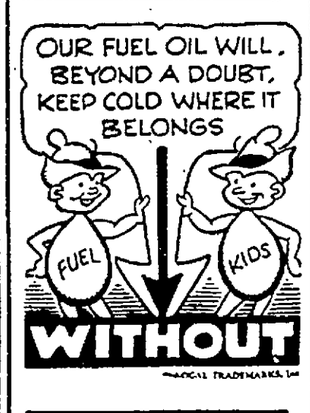
Score by periods:
North Coventry JV ..... 7 10 5 3—25
Spring City ..... 5 13 3 9—30

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Royersford Beats West Pottsgrove, 54-36, to Take Lead in Class C Race

Having proven its offensive capabilities earlier this week with an Annie Oakley-ish win over Upper Perkiomen, Royersford High's cage minions' fancy turned to defense last night, with much the same end result.

The Eagles, employing both zone and man-to-man plans, bolted by systematic West Pottsgrove, 54-36, to take over third place in the Perkiomen-Schuylkill league standings and gain the Class C lead from the Falcons with an 8-4 league mark.

Registering their fifth consecutive win at home, the 'Fords received high-octaned scoring mileage from Lou Alexander, Al Wolfe and Bob Quinn plus some genuinely startling defensive play and feeding by Nick Dinnocenti.

Alexander dunked half his 18 fieldgoal tries and added three for seven fouls to finish top man on the point poll with 21 counters. His three foul conversions tied the league's record for such success in one season —75—set the past season by Paul Neborak in 16 games.

Last evening was the 'Fords' 12th game, with Spring City, away, and North Coventry, home, remaining on the calendar. West Pottsgrove plays Upper Perkiomen and Collegeville yet, both at home, while North Coventry deals twice on the road, taking on Upper Perk and the 'Fords.

West Pottsgrove fell into a tie with Norco for fourth spot by losing its fifth in 12 league outings. The Falcs had dumped Royersford at home the past month by a 49-48 count.

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LAST NIGHT, however, the 'Fords matched a sparkling defense with an above par pointmaking scheme to nab undisputed possession of the Class C top rung it capped the past year as well.

Dinnocenti did a grand job on Strez, not allowing the burly Falc pivot a goal from the floor, and shooting in three or four times to pilfer post-bound passes to stall the foe offense completely in addition to handing out four assists.

The remainder of the Eagles busied themselves with such fervor when the Falcs were in possession that they limited Gerry Merkle's quint to 11 fieldgoals on 52 shots as a team, with only Lloyd Carpenter able to bag any kind of percentage of his shots.

Lloyd pocketed five for fifteen — four for six in the third period — and a foul to pace his club with 11 counters. Dick Geisler, another usual Stowe flash, picked up nine points for the evening's work, but didn't get a field goal in the second half, shooting but twice.

Had it not been for Carpenter's sudden accession to the scoring spotlight, the Falcs would have really been in sad shape after intermission, as the remainder of the club hit for but two aces over the final two periods.

The 'Fords were having no such troubles, though, ditching 22 of 62 field flips. Quinn landed with six aces and three fouls for 15, and Wolfe came along with four on his first six shots, adding a foul for nine markers. That pair scoffed up 21 rebounds between them of their club's 30, as the 'Fords had it pretty much their own way, especially under the defensive board.

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BOTH CLUBS started with a zone, with the Eagles giving up on it midway through the second period when coach Connie Eliff evidentally decided that the system was eating up too much time and not giving his gunhappy club enough potting time of its own.

The zone had limited the Falcs to eight first period points, but Royersford had dented the foe shifter for but 10 of their own, and held a 17-11 lead when the switch came. Then the 'Fords proved their dexterity with a man-to-man, continuing to shut out the visitors from the floor in the second stanza until the final two minutes when Geisler dumped in his last fielder of the night.

The 'Fords biggest lead in the first three periods had been of 11 points, and the Falcs were as close as seven points at 41-34 with slightly over three minutes remaining.

Here the 'Fords caught fire for 11 straight points, however, to clinch the nod.

The 'Ford Jayvees also evened for an earlier setback by swatting the Falcs seconds, 34-30, in the prelim. Les Greenawalt's 10 led the victors, but WP's Sam Daub copped scoring laurels with 16 counters.

West Pottsgrove JV	G.	F.	P.
Lucas	1	1	3
Reagan	3	0	6
Slaby	0	0	0
Daub	7	2	16
Levenzood	2	1	5
Fontana	0	0	0
Totals	13	4	30

Royersford JV	G.	F.	P.
Finkbiner	3	3	9
Tyler	3	0	6
Fray	2	2	6
Golle	0	1	1
Greenwalt	3	4	10
Albright	1	0	2
Totals	12	10	34

Score by periods:
West Pottsgrove JV ..... 9 10 9 2—30
Royersford JV ..... 11 4 6 13—34

WEST POTTSGROVE	FG-ST	FM-FT	REB	A	TP
Le. Carpenter	2-8	0-0	2	0	4
Reider	0-4	0-2	0	0	0
Geisler	3-10	3-7	1	1	9
Li. Carpenter	5-15	1-1	4	0	11
Bechtel	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Strzelecki	0-10	7-12	11	2	7
Neiman	1-4	2-4	2	0	4
Dori	0-1	1-2	0	0	1
	11-52	14-28	20	3	36

ROYERSFORD	FG-ST	FM-FT	REB	A	TP
Alexander	9-18	3-7	2	0	21
Miller	1-1	0-0	0	0	2
Quinn	6-17	3-7	13	2	15
Heck	1-1	0-0	0	1	2
Troutwine	1-7	0-4	5	2	2
Rogers	0-1	0-2	2	0	0
Wolfe	4-10	1-2	8	0	9
Strunk	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Dinnocenti	0-7	3-4	0	4	3
Kalil	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
	22-62	10-26	30	9	54

Score by periods:
West Pottsgrove ... 8 6 12 8—36
Royersford ..... 10 13 14 17—54

Key: FG—field goals, ST—shots taken, FM—fouls made, FT—free throws, REB—rebounds, A—assists, TP—total points.

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TODAY'S SPORTS

YMCA SATURDAY LEAGUE
Tigers vs. Savoy Big Five and Warriors vs. Indians, at the YMCA, first game at 1:15 p. m.
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Brewery Buys Cards

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20 (AP) — Anheuser-Busch, Inc., one of the nation's largest breweries, bought the St. Louis Cardinals today to make sure the National league club stayed in St. Louis.

The $3,750,000 sale was announced jointly by the brewery and Fred M. Saigh, whose departure from baseball was prompted by a 15-month prison sentence for income tax evasion.

Gonsalves Favored

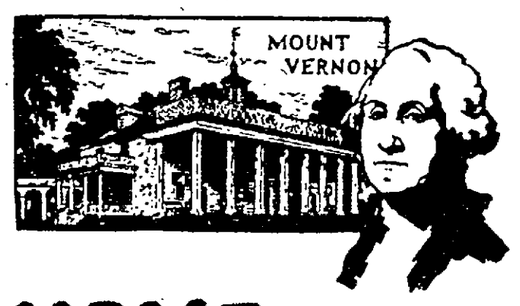
BOSTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Johnny Gonsalves of Oakland, Calif., rated as the No. 1 lightweight contender, will be a slight favorite over Henry Davis of Los Angeles, for their third and rubber 10-round boxing bout tomorrow night at the arena.

Charles-Layne Bout

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20 (AP)—Former heavyweight champion Ezzard Charles and Rex Layne of Lewiston, Utah, will meet here April 1 in a ten-round fight to be nationally televised.

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Borough Man Sent To Jail 6 Months On Driving Count

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, Feb. 20 — Little more than three months after he was released from jail after serving a year, John G. Swoyer, 32, of 232 South street, Pottstown, was sent back to the county prison for another six-month term by Judge E. Arnold Forrest this afternoon.

In both instances, Swoyer was charged with operating a motor vehicle after suspension of his driving privileges. As a matter of fact, police said, he has been a habitual offender since 1947 when he first lost his permit which has never been restored.

Swoyer got out of jail the past November, and according to his own testimony today, immediately took up driving without a license.

His latest brush with the law occurred Saturday, Feb. 7, when he eluded police in a four-mile chase from Little Oley to Pottstown where he was finally apprehended by West Reading State Trooper Henry Wytanis.

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OBSERVING SWOYER driving along Route 422 in a reckless manner, Chief of Police Howard Hemmig, of Douglass township (Berks county) flagged the car down, but instead of stopping the defendant increased his speed, Wytanis said.

Wytanis joined Chief Hemmig in the subsequent chase which ended when Swoyer's car crashed into the property of John H. Levengood, North Manatawny street, Pottstown.

Swoyer ran from the scene of the accident but was soon overtaken.

SYNTHANE PARTY—

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cake bearing 24 lighted candles was marched into the ballroom while the Synthane workers sang "Happy Birthday Dear Synthy."

Titus acted as toastmaster. He talked of the day when the company first turned out a sheet of synthane.

He said, "The company was independent then. It still is now and we intend to keep it that way.

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He said there must be something in the company's set-up that the employes have found that they like. As evidence of this, he explained, "There are 419 members of the Ten Year club.

"That's 56 percent of our total enrolment of employes. The average length of service in the company among Ten Year club members is 14 years. I think that speaks for itself."

Titus congratulated the new members of the club and presented them with the pins.

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THOSE WHO received gold pins were A. Wesley Poley, Helen M. Convey, Jesse K. Gulick, Frank F. Supplee, Ralph W. Souder, James J. Repstick, Lawrence Constable Jr., Herman Hamilton, Gerald Updegrove, Richard F. Kern, Park K. Snyder, James Brennan, Charles W. Erskine.

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THOSE WHO received silver pins for 15 years service were Newton Ulmer, Robert J. Love, Charles Undercuffler, Harrison B. Kellog, Earl Hilkert, Horace Beattie and Jack F. Lent.

Twenty-year veterans of the company who received fountain pens were Irvin Walker, George Jefferies, Otis M. Fry, Victor Buzzard, Fred Milner, William Walker, Daniel McIntyre, Charles Bates, Bertha Frederick, Samuel Neil, Joseph F Dietrick, Christian Speaker and Paul Smith.

HALTS DELIVERY

DUBLIN, Ireland, Feb. 20 (AP)—A court ordered newsboy Jim Roberts today to stop climbing a 25-foot drainpipe to deliver papers to a customer in the city jail.

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Bareheaded, some of the workers at Bethlehem Steel company's shop 3 listen to the two preachers who have inaugurated Friday night lunch-hour religious services. At left is the Rev. Calvin Monroe, an employe at the plant for 26 years. Standing in front of him is the Rev. Isaiah E. Glenn, father of nine children, who conducted the services last night. The services lasts for a half hour while the men eat their sandwiches and relax. Last night's group numbered 35.

Half-Hour Service Held at Plant

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brought to an abrupt close by an ear-shattering whistle, the men picked up their pails and walked back to their stations, silently.

In a matter of seconds, the quiet and reverent air was transformed into a noisy, bustling, steel shop.

Where the service had been held, girders were swinging in the air.

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PREACHERS MONROE AND GLENN have been conducting their Friday night services for over a month now.

They started their gospel work at the insistence of some of the men in the shop, they said

"Some of the workers asked me why I didn't give a sermon once in a while," Glenn said. "They knew I was a preacher."

So the two men got together and at their first meeting had about 25 present, they said.

The Rev. Glenn, 46, lives at 631 Beech street and has been employed at the plant for six years. He has nine children and is an associate minister at Second Baptist church on Hale street.

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THE REV. MONROE explained that he was a licensed preacher of the Union Gospel of the Pentecost faith. He has been licensed for five years, he said, and has preached in Pottstown, Stowe, Philadelphia and other towns.

He has been employed in the milling and grinding shop at Bethlehem for 26 years, he said.

Both men are confident that their services will become more and more popular in the plant.

The collection they make after each service is for the purchase of more hymn books, which are passed out before each meeting.

The Rev. Glenn said he had received the approval of the plant authorities to hold his services and that they seemed happy about it.

The workers themselves wouldn't say too much about their feelings towards the services.

As one heavy, mustachioed, sandwiching-eating worker said,

"A half-hour of this never hurt anybody."

FIRESTONE TALKS—

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against a strike are the 10 cent hourly wage boost, a union shop and normal earning rate to piece workers under certain specified conditions, all are included in the master pact.

The letter tells employes if they stop working they will lose wages and gain nothing because the issues at stake are not worth losing pay for.

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THE UNION outlined strike procedure at a meeting this past Sunday when President Robert E. Garber said the executive board was empowered to call a strike any time after Monday.

He reported late last night after morning, afternoon and evening sessions between the union bargaining committee and company representatives, "We're making a little progress We will put forth our every effort to try to get this thing settled. We'll meet again tomorrow and if necessary the union is willing and able to continue the discussions on Sunday."

The president said if the bargaining committee reaches a contract agreement with the firm, the agreement must be ratified by the membership before the pact is signed.

Garber asserted he probably would call a special ratification meeting if agreement is reached.

A company spokesman declared, "I think we made a lot of progress today. I'm still optimistic."

Demonstration Postponed

A demonstration of a planetarium, which was scheduled for this afternoon and evening by the Pottstown Amateur Astronomy club, has been postponed, officials of the club said yesterday.

The demonstration will be made at a later date.

SCOOTER CRASH—

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traveling west on High street and didn't see the red light. He couldn't stop and ran into the automobile.

He was treated at Memorial hospital where three stitches were taken in his left knee and two in his left elbow. He also suffered brush burns and cuts of both hands.

Truck Hit in Rear By Car on Route 29

More than $200 damage was caused when a car ran into the rear of a truck on Route 29, north of Graterford yesterday morning at 8:20 o'clock.

According to Police Chief Theodore Berry of Schwenksville, the accident occurred between a truck operated by John Minoske, Norristown, and a car driven by Erwin Zeigler, Green Lane RD 1.

Both vehicles were traveling in the same direction, Berry said. The truck made a wide turn into a driveway and the car ran into the rear of the truck.

Damage to the Zeigler car was estimated at $200. The rear fender and bumper of the truck were damaged.

VETS' SCHOOL—

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be given special consideration by us

"While I know that the demand for veterans' training has been diminishing, I feel that if there is sufficient demand, the school district should look into the question of giving these boys as much education as possible."

Yohn, who is active in veterans' organizations, said: "I'm anxious to keep open the veterans' school as long as possible. I also think we should do everything possible to attract veterans to the school, so that they might take advantage of the benefits afforded them by a free school district.

"At the same time, because I am so interested in the finances of the school district, I don't think we should go beyond a point where continuance of the school would cost the taxpayers huge sums of money.

"It is up to the veterans themselves to show an interest in our educational advantages.

"I hope they will demand vocational schooling here so that we may adequately serve them. We are here as servants of the public and will carry out their wishes."

Red Cross Campaign Opens March 1 With 8000 Member Goal

With a goal of 8000 members, at $1 apiece, in the area, the Red Cross membership drive will open March 1, campaign captains learned at a meeting last night.

Elmer French is campaign fund chairman and Mrs. Harold Cadmus is residential chairman.

Vice-chairmen were named for each of the four zones set up for the drive: Mrs. Claude Shelton, Mrs. E. V. K. Jaycox, Mrs. French and Mrs. Paul Sidley.

Under Mrs. Shelton will be ward captains Mrs. Donald Floyd, Walter McCurdy, Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. John Henry. Mrs. Jaycox will lead Mrs. Frank Fisher, Mrs. Robert Jeffries, Mrs. Lee Settle and Mrs. Hugh Craig.

Captains under Mrs. French include R. C. Micacchone, Kenneth Roth, Mrs. David D. Detar and Mrs. S. L. Ebersol. Serving under Mrs. Sidley will be Betty Lewis, Mrs. Stephen Lloyd and Mrs. M. A. McHenry.

TWIN BULLS—

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She gave up her two little ones about 5 p. m. Thursday.

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THERE WAS a pause of about a half hour between each birth, Guest said.

"It came as a complete surprise to me," he said. "I had no idea."

One of the calves weighed in at 85 pounds, the other at 70.

Guest, who owns 25 cows and 300 chickens, said that this is fair weight for calves.

Meanwhile, hardened men of the industry like Montgomery County Agents R. G. Waltz and James Haldeman insisted the affair was very commonplace.

"It happens every day," they said.

Veterinarian John B. Peterman, Schuylkill road, went along with the de-glamorizing move by saying that farmer Guest's cow hadn't done anything so notable.

But the cruellest blow of all came from the Lehigh Valley Artificial Breeders association in Allentown where a spokesman said,

"I see a half dozen cases like this each day."

It seems that Guest's unappreciated cow had been bred artificially.

Housing Authority Won't Have Hilldale

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not discussed, Koser reported.

That the possibility will be explored was promised yesterday by Stanley Swinehart, 737 Walnut street, and Bruce A. Davies, Pottstown RD 2, both of whom represent groups of investors who want to get Hilldale.

Swinehart, a contractor, said New York city men wanted to buy both the land and the buildings.

Whether this could be done, he said, would depend both on the Government's decision about whether a private group could buy Hilldale and on what kind of an agreement could be worked out with the owners of the land.

Davies said that he and a number of associates also were hopeful of buying Hilldale and operating it as a rental housing. From what he had learned the past Fall from the PHA's New York City office, Davies said, a private group could buy the homes.

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BOTH DAVIES and Swinehart had started to explore the possibilities that past Fall, when the PHA announced it wanted to get rid of Hilldale and was offering it as a gift to the authority. They dropped the subject after the authority announced it had decided to take title to the buildings

Both men said yesterday that they would make a restudy of the possibilities.

The past Fall, the authority hesitated for several weeks to announce it would take title to the buildings, because at that time, the State was demanding that fire exits be installed for the two-story buildings.

The authority finally announced it would take title after working out an agreement with the State whereby tenants would be shifted from hazardous second-floor units, but no fire escapes constructed.

Koser said the authority reversed itself this month because of what McCoy, the PHA director, had told them of the project's financial future.

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HILLDALE HAS been making a substantial profit in recent years, Koser said, but the profit—as much as $50,000 a year—has been turned over to the Government.

The past year, the project made about $22,000, he said, and a further decline is expected.

Because the Government planned to get rid of Hilldale soon, it plowed back very little of its recent profit into renovating the buildings.

As a result, he said, the 11-year-old buildings are in bad shape and are increasingly expensive to maintain.

Koser said the authority could not hope to put aside enough money from profitable operation of Hilldale in the next few years to pay the approximately $75,000 that demolition of the buildings would cost under the terms of the lease with owners of the land.

Some tenants living in Hilldale will be able to be transfered shortly to the new, permanent low-rent housing project being built at Penn Village.

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FOURTEEN FAMILIES have been notified they can move into the first three buildings to be finished there, on March 15. The rest of the 100 units are due to be ready for occupancy this Spring.

To get into Penn Village, families must have incomes below certain limits. There are no such restrictions at Hilldale.

The PHA director reported to the authority that if Lower Pottsgrove township passed a resolution classifying Hilldale as "slum" housing, Hilldale tenants would be able to get into the new Penn Village units more easily.

Families coming from "slums" would be subject to the same income limits as families already living in Penn Village.

For a family of five, such "continued occupancy" would enable them to earn up to $3800 and still stay in Penn Village.

If Lower Pottsgrove did not pass such a resolution, Koser said, Hilldale residents would be subject to the same limits as any other family moving into Penn Village. The income limit for "initial occupancy" by a family of five is $3200.

The decision not to accept the buildings from the PHA was made at a special meeting the past Feb. 5, Koser said. The decision was unanimous by the five members—Felix Perry, chairman, and Frank D. Behring, the Rev. Marshall W. Lee, Sigmund S. Harrison and Robert C. Yoder, who is Pottstown's representative on the authority.

Meantime, PHA has received official copies of the minutes of this meeting and has given Koser telephone instructions to freeze vacancies. The official order is expected within a few days.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

KONOLD—In Norristown RD, on Friday, Feb. 19, 1953, Laura Konold, aged 96 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral without further notice from the Nelson Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, on Sunday at 2 p. m. Interment Temple M. E. cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday 1 to 2 p. m.

BANYAI—On Friday, Feb. 20, 1953, Julius, husband of Victoria (Tilly) Banyai, age 75 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from his late residence in Schwenksville RD on Tuesday, Feb 24, at 2 p. m. Interment in St James cemetery, Limerick. Friends may call at his late residence on Monday evening, 7 to 9. (Franks)

Farmer's Market

PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20 (AP) (USDA) — Trading was generally light on the wholesale produce market today. Apples: Bushels and boxes: Pa. Staymans $4.00 a 50, Romes $3.00a35, Golden Delicious $3.00a4 25, boxes wrapped Delicious $4 50, Staymans $4.00a5 50; N. J. Staymans $4.25a50, Delicious $3 50a 4.00, Romes $2.75a3 00, Red Romes $3 00a50, McIntosh $3 50a75, cartons tray pack Golden Delicious $3.50. Potatoes: Pa. Katahdins, many ordinary to fair: 50-lb. sacks $1.15a 50, mostly $1.25a35; 10-lb. sacks 33a35c; 100-lb. sacks size B $1 60a 2.00, mostly $1.75. Sweet potatoes: N. J. bushels Jersey type orange $4.25a50, ½ baskets $3 00a25, fair $2.75 (yellows), orange type $2 75a 3.25. Mushrooms: P. 4-qt. baskets $1 25a75. Root vegetables: Bushels topped and washed unless otherwise stated: Carrots Pa. 75ca$1.50; White Turnips N. J. $1 00; Parsnips Pa. ½ bu. baskets $1 00a40; Beets Pa. $1.25. Cabbage: N. Y. 50-lb sacks Danish type $1 00a15. Spinach: Va. Norfolk sec. bushels Savoy type $1.25a50 Various greens: Virginia bushels: Broccoli rabe $1.25a50; Collards 50a75c; Hanover salad 50a 75c; Kale 65a75c; Turnip tops 4085c.

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HERTZOG—On Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1953, Harrison D. Hertzog, husband of the late Annie G. Hertzog, age 74 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schumacher Funeral Home, 359 King St., on Saturday, Feb. 21, at 11 a. m. Officiating will be the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse. Interment in Oley cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Friday evening 7 to 8:30 (Schumacher)

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LOST—Black Billfold in vicinity of High and Charlotte. Initials D. M. Contains about 5 one dollar bills. Reward. Donnell Marshall. Ph. 148

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BUDGET NOTICE

The proposed Budget for the year 1953 is now available for public inspection at the home of Monroe E. Schueneman, Woxall, Pa., and will be presented and acted upon at the regular meeting of the Upper Salford Twp. Supervisors, to be held Wednesday evening, March 11, 1953. Signed
UPPER SALFORD TWP. SUPERVISORS.
LeROY B. YOUNG, Secretary

NOTICE

The proposed budget of the Board of Supervisors for Lower Pottsgrove Township is available for inspection by the taxpayers at the home of the secretary-treasurer.
JOSEPH MACK
Pottstown RD No. 4

NOTICE

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Supervisors of Upper Frederick Twp., at Frederick, Pa., until 8:00 A. M., March 14, 1953, for graded stone and road oil requirements. All proposals must be completed on form furnished by the undersigned.

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ROSS HASSON, Secretary
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BUDGET NOTICE

The Budget for the year 1953 of Upper Frederick Twp Road Board is now completed. It is open for inspection at the home of ROSS HASSON, Secretary Frederick, Pa.

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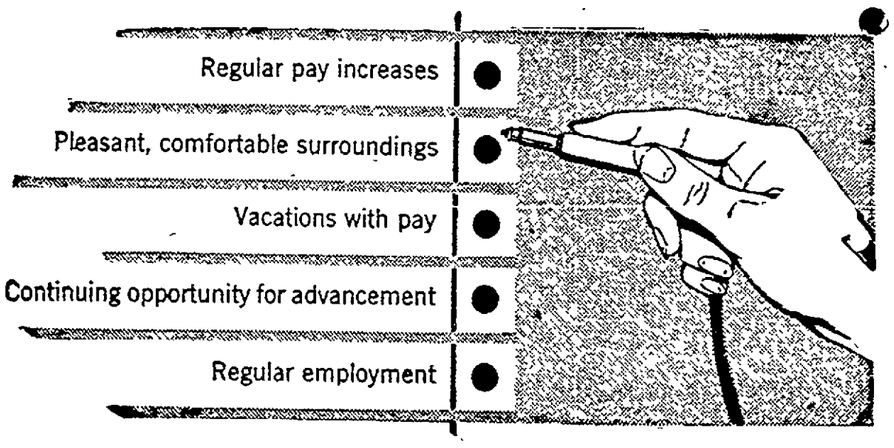
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DAIRYMAN—Machine milker, good salary, house and privileges. Near Doylestown. Call Plumsteadville 2852 reversing charges or write Gardenville Farms, Gardenville, Pa., Bucks County.

FLOOR COVERING SALESMEN
Experienced for both inside and outside. The opening of our new floor covering department has made openings that present unusual opportunities for the right men. Good starting salary plus commission and employee benefits unequaled by any concern. If you feel you qualify, contact Mr. Smith at SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO., 232 High St.

Short Order Cook
Must Be Experienced.
GOOD WAGES
Apply in Person
Rosedale Diner
1410 High street

WANTED
General Foundry Labor
Starting Rate $1.39½ per hour.
Apply Supt's Office
Eastern Foundry Co.
Boyertown, Pa.

DON'T READ ANY FURTHER!
This is it! Opportunity is knocking at your door and you can't afford to keep the door closed. Contact Levengood Dairies. Phone 584 about this outstanding opportunity for a good paying job with good working conditions.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

Married woman desires housework or work in Luncheonette 5 days a week. Phone 335-R-3.

Woman Desires Baby Sitting at Night.
Phone 5365.

Woman Desires Baby Sitting During Day or Evening.
Phone 5894.

Two capable women will care for children, day or evening, in our home. Also board children during parents vacation. Transportation furnished. Reas. rates. East End. Phone 5870 or 4762-J.

Situations Wanted — Male 38

Young man with business training desires part-time work afternoons and Saturday morning. Phone 47-J-1.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities 42

New service station for lease — Route 100, outside of Boyertown, popular "Calso" gasoline and petroleum products. Exp. operator from vicinity preferred. Write Penn Service Oil Company, Box 857, Reading, giving qualifications.

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"I'm just crazy about those foreign rugs!"

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities 42

ROADSIDE RESTAURANT — State Highway, Montg. County. Built 4 years. 1952 gross over $40,000. Living quarters, 3 rooms and bath. Lease with option to purchase. $250 per month. Owner is ill.
J. Russell Brode
Sumneytown. Phone Haywood 2500

FOR SALE

Articles for Sale 46

KITCHEN AND DINETTE SETS!

Choice of chrome or wood. Some new but slightly damaged Floor samples and tradeins. Priced from only $12 for a complete 5-piece set. Use your credit. Buy on our long, easy budget terms

WAREHOUSE OUTLET
70 S. Franklin St. Phone 4322

Weekend
TV Clearance!
Many additional trade-in sets arrived this week. All must go! All guaranteed! Easy budget terms.

RCA 10" set	$ 39.95
DuMont 12", FM radio	74.95
Crosley 12½" set	64.95
DuMont 15" FM radio	129.95
Olympic 16" console	124.95
RCA 16", with doors	144.95
DuMont 19" with doors.	199.95

Special low price installation. Stop in now. Open Fri. nite.
FEGELY'S 34 High St. Phone 3525

Antique Cherry Corner Cupboard. Apply
864 N. Evans street.

WANTED—Man to work in grocery warehouse. Apply by letter; stating age, experience and phone number to Post Office Box 359, Pottstown.

FOUR Goodrich Commercial Tires and Tubes, 700x15. Phone 2527-J-3.

450 Cement Blocks; lot of used lumber; 48 Ford Van Truck; 46 V-8 Ford 2-dr. Sedan, cheap. Apply 30 Reynolds avenue.

Girl's Roadmaster Bicycle, full size, very good condition. $25. Call 1267-R or apply 425 May street.

Gleaming, glamorous Glaxo linoleum coating glorified colors. Ends waxing. Block's.

Dinette Suite, 7-pc., with table pads. $50. Apply 389 York street after 5 p. m.

90 white cedar fence rails, also 30 white cedar fence posts. $100 Phone Haywood 2701.

ICE CREAM SPECIAL. ½ gal. 90c, 10-qts. $3.90. Hatfield's Grocery, Chestnut and Evans streets

Craftsman Bench Lathe — 10½" swing, 24 inches between centers with ½ H. P. motor and 3 chucks, face plate, dogs & tool holders. Also Little Giant screw plate set, 9 sizes, like new, and 3/8 bench drill presses with 1/3 H. P. motor. $250 comp. Ph. Collegeville 5746.

COLUMBIA VENETIAN BLINDS
Phone Boyertown 7-2533
THE TAPPERS

SPECAIL—Two 820x15 w/w tires; one 670x16 black wall. Also oil at 20c qt. bulk with your container. DeMARIO'S SUNOCO STATION, Stowe, Pa., next to Flagg's.

General Electric Flat Plate Ironer, practically new. Excellent condition. Phone 5025.

PHOTO FINISHING EQUIPMENT—Solar 4x5 Autofocus enlarger, 5 extra masks 6 mos. old. Cost $318.25. Sacrifice $195.50. Kodak counter-displayer for film and cameras, few mos. old. New $18. Sacrifice, $9 Dry mounting press, good conditions. Rec. $85. Sacrifice $19.50. HERD STUDIO, King at Penn St. Phone 2211.

LIVING ROOM SUITES

Choice of regular sofas, sofa beds or sectional sofas. Selection of colors and fabrics. All outstanding buys and priced from only $19 for a 3-piece suite consisting of sofa and 2 chairs.
Use Your Credit.
Buy on Long Easy Terms.

WAREHOUSE OUTLET
70 S. Franklin St. Phone 4322

Siebert Baby Carriage. Good condition. Phone 846-J-2.

Coleman Oil Space Heater, heats 3 rooms Excellent condition. $23. Call 4690-R.

STORM WINDOWS
VENETIAN BLINDS—DOORS
Richard Smith, Potts. 4030-R.
Kenneth Emes, Boyert'n 7-0496

Custom Kitchens, Custom cabinets and formica work C. K BUDICH, 300 N. Evans street. Phone 5247.

FOR SALE

Wanted to Buy 51

$$$$$—Clean out your attic or cellar and let us turn your unwanted articles into cash. We sell anything Limerick Auction. Phone 3270.

We buy rags, paper, metal, iron at highest cash prices Phone 866 or drop postal. FRANKLIN JUNK

BUY all kinds of good used furniture & guns. DANIEL FREESE, North State Street Phone 1146.

FARM and GARDEN

Farm—Dairy Products 52

Nice Wheat Straw, 9-ton, $35 per ton. Also 2-ton Alfalfa & Clover Hay, 2nd cutting, $35 per ton. Phone Haywood 2278.

1000 bales of good Timothy Hay. Never wet. Market price. Phone 2269.

Farm Equipment 53

1952 John Deere tractor M-T with P.T.O., touchomatic 2-bottom Quick Tatch plow, 3-section harrow. Disc harrow. Model H spreader. Used to cultivate 5 acres. Bargain. Phone Haywood 2701.

New 1952 Ford Tractor
Price reduced for February
Landes Farm Equipment, Yerkes

John Deere Tractor model M with Hydraulic lift, wheel weights, 2 plows, harrow, cultivator, mold boards. Excellent condition. Priced to sell right now. C. C. BICKEL, route 422, west of Pottstown. Phone 3530.

MARIETTA CONCRETE SILOS.
Homer L. Stoltzfus,
Phone Pottstown 47-R-11.

New Holland & M-M Farm Machinery Sales-Serv. Nevin Myer, Anselma, Chester Springs 3386. W. E. Wampler, Rep., Pottst'n 590-R-2.

Pets—All Kinds 54

SPOTTED PONY
Quiet—for children. $75. New pony SADDLES, $20 each, any color. BILL DAVIDSON, 364 E. North Lane, Conshohocken. Call Conshohocken 6-1051.

Young White Rabbits, $1.50 a pair.
Phone Linfield 2097.

PARAKEETS FOR TRAINING
Cockatoels and Canaries.
327 Glasgow St., Stowe. Ph. 6138

Livestock 55

HORSES WANTED
George E. McOurdy
Lionville, Pa. Phone Exton 706-R-1.

5 PONIES
Black and white spotted team with buggy and 2-seated pony sleigh Harness and saddle. Also, new and used bridles and saddles
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Phone Boyertown 7-8018.

Milking Goats just freshened, very good milkers. Marshall Barkman, inquire at Birchrunville Store.

Sheep for rsale with lamb. Call Chester Springs 3792 between 12:30 and 1:30 p. m.

Five choice fresh cows with calves at side, price $195 & up; and six 60 lb. choice pigs. Route 113, between Lederach and Skippack. Phone Center Point 2729 after 6:30 p.m.

Poultry 56

CHICKS—Mount Hope White Leghorn, N. H. Reds (Nichols), Sex Linked (Nedlar-Harco) Rhode Island Reds (Harco), Pa. U. S. Approved. Pullorum Clean. Chicks every week. Order in advance. Started chicks at various times. MOYER'S HATCHERY, Paletown Road, Quakertown RD 3. Ph. 41-J

Several hundred nicely started New Hampshires, 4 weeks old. MARWOOD FARM HATCHERY. For special price, phone Kennett Square 795-J-1.

Over 100 Rabbits, 100 feed and water dishes and stables. 33 bred does, some with young, all due for Easter Market. No single sale. Phone Schwenksville 4776 after 4 p. m. Howard Sacks Jr., Zieglersville, Pa.

BABY CHICKS from our ENGLISH STRAIN LEGHORNS. All eggs produced on our own farms. Also a limited amount of 100 0/0 MOUNT HOPE STRAIN LEGHORNS. HALDEMAN POULTRY FARMS, STEVENS, PA. RD 1. Phone DENVER 7-8531.

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Renninger's
Phone Linfield 2253

Baby Chicks and B. B. Bonze Turkey Poults. Day old and started New Hampshires. 1000 cockerels 12c each, each Tuesday each week. Turkey Poults commencing April 14. Order now. Aaron Zook Poultry Farm and Hatchery. Call Glen Moore 2-1412.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 58

Special Discount for immediate booking and sale of top quality, premium grade baler twine and mixed fertilizers Call FARM BUREAU, Pughtown 3301.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

Furnished Rooms 60

Single Room for Lady or Gentleman.
Apply 239 Chestnut St.

Bedroom Nicely Furnished.
Apply 772 N. Franklin street.
Phone 3287-M.

SINGLE AND DOUBLE ROOMS.
All Conveniences.
48 Chestnut Street.

Large twin bedroom also single room. Good heat and hot water. Private entrance. Moderate rates. Apply 1336 High street.

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Second floor, next to bath.
Phone 2857-W.

Furnished Room, all conveniences. For 1 or 2 persons. Cooking if desired. 323 Chestnut street.

ROOMS
Y.M.C.A., King and Evans St.

Two furnished rooms for men only.
MUSICAL BAR,
Stowe. Phone 9196.

Housekeeping Rooms 62

Light Housekeeping Room.
At 529 King St.
Apply 515 King St.

Furnished Apartments 67

FURNISHED—2 rooms and bath. Apply 639 Chestnut St., 2nd floor after 1 p. m. Fri. Anytime-weekend.

RINGING ROCKS PARK—Strictly private furnished apt., prefer responsible business couple. No objections to one child. Working parents can arrange for care of child. Phone 4302-R after 4 p. m.

Unfurnished Apartments 68

4 room and bath apt. Refrigerator, stove, heat, gas and electric furnished. $85. Call 4205.

DOWNTOWN HIGH ST.—3 room and private bath apt., private entrance, very clean. Available March 1. Call 2316-R.

LINDEN APARTMENTS
Available Immediately
1—2-Bedroom Apartment $77
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Planned to provide finest apartment living in Pottstown, Phone 729.

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307 HIGH ST.—2nd floor apt., large living room and dining room, 2 bedrooms, modern kitchen and bath $100 month. ROY BINDER AGENCY. 309-13 High St. Ph. 544

FOUR rooms and bath.
Out of Town.
Call 290-J-3 after 4 p. m.

Wanted to Rent 76

WANTED—2 or 3 bedroom house or apartment.
Write Mercury Box S-33.

REAL ESTATE—SALE

Houses for Sale 78

Spring Is Coming!
Get a fresh start in this practically new modern 1½ story brick home in desirable residential section. Complete living quarters on first floor with 2 finished rooms on second floor. Attached garage.
N. FRANKLIN ST. — 3 bedroom bungalow, large living room, large lot. F.H.A. or G.I. financing.
STOWE—6 rooms, excellent condition, large lot. Priced for quick sale.
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CENTRAL — Reasonably priced seven room home, all conven's.
LEE PILLSBURY
W. A. SCHATZ, W. S. SACHER, Res.
57 N. Hanover Street 4802-J
Phone Day or Eve.

DOUGLASSVILLE AREA — 4 room and bath masonry home. 2-car garage in cellar, front porch. Phone 2304-R-11.

DOUBLE MASONRY HOME, 7-yrs. old. One side with 4 bedrooms, living room, kitchen. Other side vacant—has knotty pine living room, modern kitchen, etc. Each with hot water oil fired heat—Summer and Winter hookup. Garages. Priced low for immediate sale. Phone 5739-J after 6 p. m.

NEAR POTTSTOWN—60 acre dairy farm with large barn, good 7 room stone house, hot water heat. Nice stream. Price, $18,500.

ROUTE 663—New brick bungalow with 4 rooms and bath, large lot; all conveniences, including hot water oil heat. Near transportation. $11,750.

4 ACRE building site near Layfield on Route 73. Over 1000' frontage. $3000.

BALLY—12 acre poultry farm with nice stone home, all conveniences including H. W. heat. Excellent view, spring water. $13,500

NEW BERLINVILLE—New 4 room and bath bungalow, all conveniences. $7950.

ROUTE 29—Nice 4 room bungalow, all conveniences, outside garage. Bargain at $7500.

NEAR LAYFIELD — 20 acre farm with fine 6 room plastered home, barn for 12 cows, artesian water, large chicken houses and outbuildings. WELL-CARED FOR—Been in same family for 30 years.

GILBERTSVILLE — 6 room brick bungalow. Baseboard oil heat, modern kitchen. $13,000.

90 ACRE FARM—Fertile soil, barn, outbuildings, 7 room brick house.

JOSEPH M. SWANN
Route 662, open Sundays
Phone Sassamansville 4-4531

12 acre farm with 6 room house, some conveniences. Lot of fruit, spring water. Priced right. 4 miles North of Boyertown. Phone Boyertown 7-6734.

NEAR DOUGLASSVILLE, route 422. New modern masonry bungalow, 5 rooms and bath, hardwood floors, oil heat, garage. Move right in. Only $1000 down.

AMITYVILLE—11 room stone colonial home, oil heat, old shade, small barn, garage, 3 acres.

POOLE HILL — 2 room bungalow, elec. and water, 7 acres. Vacant.

KEPLER'S ROAD—4 room and bath masonry home, 2 acres.

MONOOACY—3 bungalows, elec. & water, approx. 1½ acres with each bungalow. $2000. Small down payment.

CHAS. E. TEMPLIN
Justice of Peace
Route 422, Stowe. Phone 4691

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FRENCH CREEK VALLEY
120 ACRES of the finest Chester County land, including ½ mile of French Creek flowing through property. Well preserved and remodeled old stone home situated on knoll 600' from hard top road, overlooking surrounding land and distant hills. Home has been remodeled and redecorated. Spacious living room, dining room and den with fireplace. Modern kitchen, pine paneled. Large open fireplace. Utility room attached: shower, tubs and area for freezer and refrigerator. 4 beautiful bedrooms on different (2-step) levels, 2 modern baths, large closets—all rooms, 2 large floored and finished rooms in attic. New barn, including 2-car garage, utility room, feed room. Large open haymow. Located South of Pottstown, within quick commuting distance of Reading, Pottstown, Phoenixville, Paoli and Coatesville. FRANCIS A. HALL, West Chester. Phone Pughtown 2031.

FOR SALE

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Window Shades. Phone 5746
JAMES G. WATERS, 1091½ High St

FULLER BRUSHES
For Home Delivery — Call 2293-W.

STORM WINDOWS
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DANIEL FREESE
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PHONE 746-R-5 or 707-J-11

MODERN KITCHENS
VENETIAN BLINDS
Free estimates. Call APEX.
Phone Boyertown 7-5476.

8" Tilt Table Craftsman saw—¼ h. p. motor—2 blades—mounted on floor stand with safety switch. $45.

28 feet heavy gauge garage-barn-door track with 54-roller hangers and brackets, excellent condition. $14

Craftsman 18" jigsaw—mounted on 3" wood base with ¼ h. p. motor—excellent—$28.

Paint spray gun with 3 nozzles—hose—2 compressors—twin tanks—mounted on 2-wheel cart with ½ h. p. motor—$30.

Call Saturday, February 21, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at 371 Kline Ave., Hanover Heights or Phone 699-R.

Four 760x15 General puncture proof tubes. Reasonable. Apply 1601 E. High street. Phone 2064-W.

DOORS
Overhead garage doors with hardware, 8x7, $52.50. Combination doors, $15 and up. Window and door frames, lumber and moldings. Cedar posts for electric fence, 15c and up. KARL BUCHHOLTZ, Route 663, above Whiteside Inn. Phone 2502-W.

Beautiful new Tappan Gas Ranges both "rural" and "city" gas. Liberal allowance for your old range Also used gas ranges Atlantic State Gas Co., represented by W Ford Sands, 701 High St. Ph 1537

Business Opportunities 42

DELICATESSEN STAND
In Zern's Market, Gilbertsville. Reason for selling—health. Write Mercury Box S-47.

Water Conditioning 46-B

WATER SOFTENING
Culligan Soft Water
Moser Road at High Phone 2156

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Sweeney & Sons W High St Phone 4310
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Coal and Wood 50

FIREWOOD — Furnace Chunks. Stove and Fireplace Wood. Phone 559-J Prompt delivery

COAL—We sell the best at prices you can afford to pay J. YOST. 726 Lincoln Ave Phone 670

ADAM SIMMONS COAL YARD
Finest in Colliery Coal
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Wanted to Buy 51

SPINET PIANO
OR
GRAND PIANO
CASH OR WILL TRADE FOR NEW 1953 ROA VICTOR TELEVISION. H. Rentz Smale, 19 N. Hanover St., Pottstown. Ph. 1088.

WANTED—Junk of All Kinds
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The Board of Trustees of the Pottstown Hospital

INVITES LOCAL INSURANCE AGENTS TO QUOTE RATES ON PERFORMANCE BONDS ON THE NEW HOSPITAL BUILDING.

This Information Should Be in Writing and Be Received by Noon Wednesday, Feb. 25th.

PLEASE CONTACT A. C. SEAWELL, ADMINISTRATOR, POTTSTOWN HOSPITAL, FOR CONTRACT BREAK-DOWN DETAILS.

LOWER POTTSGROVE TWP., MONTG. CO.
AUDITORS' REPORT FOR 1952

From First Monday in January 1952 to First Monday in January 1953

CASH BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	
Cash in bank, securities and reserves	$13,209.32
Light Fund	797.56
Other Funds	1,129.89
Total	$15,136.77
RECEIPTS	
Taxes collected in cash during the year	$11,432.79
Taxes collected on old duplicate	234.73
Light Fund taxes	739.29
Licenses	600.00
Fines	1,405.00
State Aid	2,936.56
Miscellaneous	174.05
Total	$17,572.43
Total	$32,709.20
EXPENSES	
General Government	$ 1,881.47
Protection to persons and property	7,784.24
Highways	4,795.41
Miscellaneous	1,828.26
Street Lighting	608.13
Total	$16,897.51
CASH BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	
Cash in bank, securities and reserves	$15,811.69
Due from tax collector	545.45
Valuation of Township machinery	2,158.00
Total	$18,515.14
ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE TOWNSHIP	$4,055,948.00

PAUL K. NORTON,
CARL N. DUNMIRE,
FORREST GINDER, Auditors

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Are you interested in the security and satisfaction of opening your own business and being fully trained at our expense? Our new training program begins May 10. Write the
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SOME OUTSTANDING HOMES!

No. 640 West King St. Lovely single brick home, tile bath, hardwood floors, oil heat, garage.

No. 641—Out of the ordinary. Beautiful new Form Stone home, 5 spacious rooms and tile bath, breezeway, attached garage. Outstanding home.

No. 642 Country atmosphere in the North End of town. Cozy bungalow situated on large landscaped lot. Fruit trees, garage. Modern throughout.

No. 618 LOW DOWN PAYMENT. N. Spruce Street, 6 room and bath, modern, large lot.

No. 549 THIS IS IT! 6 room and tile bath, modern, hardwood floors, oil heat. $8750.

No. 638 Exclusive residential, N. Evans Street. Beautiful 6 room and bath home. Powder room, large landscaped lot, 2-car garage.

No. 629 CENTRAL — Large single corner brick property, automatic hot water heat. 2-car garage.

No. 635 SAYBROOK PARK. Beautiful large single brick home, 6 rooms and tile bath, attached garage, fireplace, oil H.W. heat.

No. 582 CENTRAL. Semi-detached brick 4 rooms and attic. Full price $3500. $300 down balance as rent.

No. 632 SINGLE brick E. 5th Street. Well constructed. Ideal for apts. Extra 30 ft. lot.

No. 630 NEW BERLINVILLE — Single new bungalow, 4 rooms and bath, hardwood floors, new residential settlement. $7950.

No. 628 HANOVER HEIGHTS—Recently remodeled bungalow, 4 bedrooms, oil H.W. heat.

No. 607 G. I. APPRAISIAL WELCOMED on this substantial single brick home, 3-car garage. Low Price.

No. 567 THE HOME YOU'VE WAITED FOR — 5 minutes from center of town. Chester County Cape Cod Style.

No. 576 Single brick, 6 room and bath, hot water heat. $3500.

No. 619 ENGLESVILLE—New brick Cape Cod home. $9500.

No. 620 EAST END—10 room single brick home. $9500.

No. 621 N. FRANKLIN STREET—Excellent 3 apt. property. Modern throughout. Excellent income.

No. 617 CHESTER COUNTY—Beautiful pointed stone home. 6 rooms and bath, fireplace, added features.

No. 608 RINGING HILL—Excellent buy. 5 rooms and bath, oil hot water heat. Only $7500.

No. 616 E. HIGH STREET—Single brick home. Excellent business possibilities.

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No. 568 KEPLER ROAD—Outstanding new brick home. 6 rooms and bath, 8 acres, ultramodern, high elevation.

No. 613 $6500 single brick & frame home. 6 rooms and bath.

No. 610 SANATOGA — Single brick home, 1 yr. old. 5 rooms & bath, oil hot water heat. Corner lot.

No. 611 CENTRAL — Single brick home, 11 rooms and bath. Ideal for apartments.

No. 581 BRICK AND NEW—N. End. 4 rooms and bath, automatic heat, large lot.

No. 594 N. CHARLOTTE STREET—Outstanding business location. Look at it for your needs and decide.

No. 596 KING STREET—Stucco 7 room and bath, newly decorated. $7500.

No. 541 SEVENTH STREET—Large bungalow, 7 rooms and bath. Modern throughout. 2-car garage, oil heat.

ROBERT H. DeLONG
Realtor — Security Trust Bldg.
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Not for Sightseers!

If you mean business and really want a farm, perfect in every detail and priced for immediate sale, then see this 87 acre Dairy Farm. Pointed stone 10 room and 2 bath dwelling, oil hot water heat, beautiful barn and outbuildings. Property $32,000, with all stock and equipment $49,000.

J. Russell Brode
Sumneytown. Phone Haywood 2500

BUNGALOW FOR SALE — Living room, dining room, kitchen, 4 large bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, hot water oil fired heat, Summer-Winter hookup, comb. windows, venetian blinds, garage attached, excellent view. Route 23, near Brownback's Church. Leon Mourar, Phone Linfield 3476.

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PHEASANTLAND PARK — 4 rooms and bath bungalow, H. A. heat, basement garage. $5200.

MORYSVILLE—7-room single brick. Some conveniences. 1½ acres, 2-car garage. $8000.

MONTGOMERY AVE.—5 rooms and bath single frame, garage, excellent condition.

NEAR BOYERTOWN—85 acre farm. 11 room colonial stone house, open beams, original random floors, 2 fireplaces, all conveniences. Barn, stream, timber and out-buildings.

FRANCIS D. SELL
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Phone Boyertown 7-6726

6 room and bath brick and stucco house, sun porch, powder room, fireplace, modern kitchen, hot water oil fired heat, 2-car garage. Located at 390 South Reading Ave., Boyertown.

HILLCREST—Modern 6 room and bath home. Reasonable.

CENTRAL. Modern ½ double brick home. In the pink of condition.

BOYERSFORD. ½ double brick home, all conveniences. Large lot. Only $6800.

N. MANATAWNY. Modern bungalow, 4 rooms and bath. Only $8000.

NEW DEVELOPMENT — Modern single home, 4 rooms, bath, expansion attic, oil heat. Large lot. High elevation.

SUMMIT HILL — 6 room frame home, electricity, water and heat. Large lot. ONLY $4500.

330 JEFFERSON AVE. — Single 7 room and bath home. Oil heat. $7500.

STOWE—550 Lemon St. ½ double brick house, 6 rooms, conveniences. Lot 105x140.

228 MINTZER ST. Cozy Cottage. 3 rooms, all conveniences, large lot, 2-car garage. Very reasonable.

NEAR TOWN. Stone bungalow, almost finished. 4 acres land.

KING ST.—2 family apt house, large garage. Property in first class condition. High income.

PRUSS HILL—Modern 5 room and bath bungalow, with extras. INQUIRE ABOUT OUR BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

We always have several good ones

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"LIN" DRUMHELLER, RES

REAL ESTATE—SALE

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EXCELLENT LOCATION—Single 9 room house, 5 rooms on first floor, 4 on second, 2 bedrooms and modern kitchen on each floor. Finished third floor. New oil fired H. W. heat with S & W hook-up. Ideal for apartments; many extras. Best offer accepted. Phone 624-M.

E. THIRD ST.—10 room and bath single brick home, steam heat, all conveniences, only $8250.

S. POTTSTOWN — All modern 6 room and bath brick home, oil heat, Summer and Winter hook-up, $9800.

BEECH ST.—Central—8 room and bath semi-detached home, hardwood floors, hot water heat, many extras.

N. ADAMS ST.—2 years old, 4 room and bath bungalow with expansion attic, hardwood floors, autimatic heat.

WILLOW ST.—4 room and bath bungalow with expansion attic, automatic heat, large landscaped lot.

W. SECOND ST.—Semi-detached brick home, 2 apartments, garages, $9700.

BEECH ST.—6 room frame home, space heater $3300.

LINCOLN AVE.—6 room and bath frame home, pipeless heat, $4500.

PAGLEYSVILLE—Practically new 2 bedroom and bath brick ranch style home, hardwood floors, automatic heat, large lot.

NEAR DOUGLASSVILLE—7 room brick home, 2 baths, gas heat, excellent condition, $14,000.

NEAR DOUGLASSVILLE — 4 room and bath bungalow, gas heat, large lot. $7000.

BUYERS WAITING for 5 and 6 room homes in North and East Ends. Why not list today.

ROY BINDER AGENCY
309 - 13 High St. Phone 544
"DOUG" MOYER, RES.
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LIMERICK—Single home in excellent condition. 2½-story stone plastered, 2½ acres, 4 rooms and bath first floor; 4 rooms and bath, 2nd flr. Easily converted into 2 apts. If desired. Hot water heat, open fireplace, comb. storm sash throughout. 2-car 2-story garage, workshop, small chicken house. Young fruit, nice lawn and shade. Phone Collegeville 7339, evenings or weekends.

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$10,750—4 rooms down. Exp. 2nd. Oil Heat. Prospect St.

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$8300—7 Rooms and bath. Enc. porch. Garage. So. Pottstown.

$7945—4 Rooms and bath, fireplace, Lot 60x174. Kimberton.

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5-room home, some conveniences. $500 down, balance as rent.

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FOR SALE—Farms, Homes, Business property, acreage and lots: RAYMOND SPAIDE. Boyersford 54-W.

NEAT, 5 room bungalow, dining room, all convs., garage and about 1 acre. Priced to sell.

LIMERICK, bungalow, 3 bedrooms, all convs., oil hot water heat, garage, about 1 acre, $9500.

NEAR BOYERTOWN, single brick dwelling, water, heat, electricity, large lot, workshop, reduced to $6,000.

EXCELLENT MODERN single brick dwelling, all convs., knotty pine dining room, 3 bedrooms, many extras, only $13,500. Early possession.

SINGLE brick dwelling, good location, all convs., no reasonable offer refused.

REDUCED TO $11,500., desirable single dwelling, North End, oil heat and all convs., large lot, 2 car garage. Immediate possession.

NEW BUNGALOW, near town, stone pointed front, all convs., oil hot water heat, beautiful modern bath and kitchen.

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WELL SUITED for business or professional use, excellent large single brick, oil hot water heat, air conditioned, all convs., 2 car garage.

OLD STONE dwelling, convs., stable, garage, chicken house, spring, stream and 5 acres.

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18 ACRES, 6 room stone and frame house, barn, chicken houses, $8000.

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New frame house — 4 rooms and bath. All conveniences. Reasonable. Call 2304-J-1. Ask for William Birt.

SACRIFICED for quick sale, 5 room bungalow, hot water oil heat, hardwood floors, aluminum storm windows and screens. Let us show you this fine bungalow on an acre of ground at the rock bottom price of $8500.

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NORTH END BUNGALOW, 4 rooms, modern throughout; expandable 2nd floor. 4% mortgage available. Must be seen to appreciate.

DOUGLASSVILLE—Mr. Family Man let us show you this fine 8 room house with permastone exterior. Featuring large modern kitchen, hot water oil heat, all conveniences and large bedrooms. Asking $13,000.

SUBURBAN BUNGALOW—3 rooms and bath, full cellar, attached garage, all conveniences including oil heat. This neat bungalow is well situated on a ¾ acre lot and being sold for only $6,000.

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OAK STREET — DANDY 8 ROOM, EXCELLENT CONDITION; SET-UP FOR 2 APARMENTS.

RUPERT SCHOOL — LARGE 6 ROOM BRICK, HOT WATER HEAT, PORCH, SHADE, $11,000.

973 N. HILLS BLVD. — 6 ROOM BRICK, TILE BATH, OIL HEAT. $8750.

DOUGLASSVILLE, 4 ROOM AND BATH BUNGALOW, EXCELLENT CONDITION. 2-CAR GAR., BIG LOT. $8500.

166 N. WARREN. MAKE AN OFFER. 4 ROOMS AND BATH SINGLE. ALL IMPROVEMENTS.

DANDY SELF-SERVICE GROCERY STORE. ALSO 2 GAS STATIONS. PRICED RIGHT.

951 HIGH, 7 ROOMS AND BATH, H. W. HEAT, 2-CAR GARAGE. $11,000.

JOE L. BOWEN
17 N. Hanover St., Pottstown
Phone 4950 — Evenings 3772

Corner Brick Home, 6 rooms, bath, enclosed porch, hot water oil heat, recently papered and painted. Vacant. Inquire Mrs. Bauman, 1069 South street.

Farms for Sale 79

FARM—11 Acres and 12 Perches for sale in Obelisk, on Knieffer's Road. $12,500. Phone Phila., Ivy Ridge 3-2320, or apply 478 Paoli avenue, Roxboro, Philadelphia.

Business Places—Sale 80

Garage for sale, in small town, with 5 room & bath house. A going business with complete stock & wrecker. Write Mercury Box S-42.

Combination shop and dwelling, industrial zone, parking in rear, $13,000. J. A. Hoffer, 316 Queen St

STORE FOR SALE—My sons are going into the service and my illness forces sale. No help. Write Mercury Box S-37.

GARAGE BLDG.
1470 High Street

Building 60 x 100 ft.

Lot 115x300 ft.

Suitable for any business

Early vacancy

STANLEY SWINEHART
Moser Rd. and Maple St.
Phone 1958

LORRAINE CLUB
612 Jefferson Avenue

Suitable for Living Quarters

or Business.

Apply on Premises

Lots and Acreage 81

19½ acres, 478-ft. frontage Harmonyville Rd., Chestnut Hill. Sell all or half. Pughtown 2031 or Reading 2-5952.

Bldg. Lots, 100x300, between Douglassville and Temple Church. Oscar W. Haws, Phone 922-R-2.

11½ Acres of land close to town. 605 ft. frontage on macadam road. $3200.
M. YONKOVITCH,
20 N. Evans St. Phone 739 or 1817.

BUILDING LOT for sale. 150-300, in Stowe. Reasonably priced. Inquire DeSoi Plating Works or Phone 1271.

Wanted — Real Estate 84

Sell for cash quick. Farms, houses, businesses, acreage. M. YONKOVITCH, 20 N. Evans, Ph. 739 - 1817

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19 N Hanover St Phone 203

AUCTIONS-SALES - 90

PUBLIC SALE
VALUABLE FARM STOCK AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS
Friday, February 27, 1953
on the "Benjamin Mechling" Farm on the north side of the macadam road leading from Hosenack to Zionsville, in Lower Milford Twp., Lehigh Co., Pa.

16 Holstein milk cows, some fresh by day of sale; 2 stock bulls, 5 calves, 20 hogs, 75 chickens, 2 geese, 4 ducks, Oliver No. 70 Rowcrop, power lift and take off, with right and left 18" plow; Neff Farmall cultivator, New Ideal hay rake, McCormick disc, hay rake, hay tedder, drill, hay wagon, double cultivator, potato sprayer, potato cutter, lot of iron posts, McCormick potato planter, corn husker, hay loader, corn binder, McCormick 7-foot binder, Bradley 14" plow, 7-foot grass cutter, land roller and harrow, 3 Sessions harrows, 3 plows, David Bradley manure spreader, 2 low downs, Harch Red Head milker, corn sheller, Massey-Harris cutter, Fairbanks scale, 3 electric brooders, gas brooder, gas engine, lot of good burlap bags, blacksmith outfit, grindstone, scythes, lot of heavy chains, wood saw, 12 milk cans, and many other articles used on a large farm, to be hunted up by the day of sale. This is a close-out of fine equipment.

Sale starts at 12 o'clock noon. Conditions by
AGNES H. BRUCH, Owner
Charles Undercoffler, Auct.
Smith & Brunner, Clerks.

R. H. THOMPSON, Auctioneer
Affiliated—R. H. DeLong, Realtor
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QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds



"—didn't you see my Mercury Want Ad—the Clearance Sale was yesterday!"

AUCTIONS-SALES - 90

PERKIOMENVILLE SALES STABLES
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Auction Every Monday
Truck loads of dairy cattle from Bradford, Wayne and Susquehanna counties. Lot of local cows and lot of shoats to be sold at 12:30 p. m.

POULTRY and Egg Auction at 1:00 P. M.

Beef Cattle Sale at 7:00 P. M.

Every Monday afternoon and evening in our modern Farmers Market you can buy farm vegetables, baked goods, electrical supplies, clothing, and many other items for home use. Lets make a date to go to the

PERKIOMENVILLE SALES STABLES, Inc.
This Monday and Every Monday
Phone Haywood 2733
You Tried the Rest, Now Try The Best

VICTOR RHOADS
Auctioneer. Phone 3651-J-1.

PUBLIC SALE
FARM EQUIPMENT
LIVESTOCK & FEED
Saturday, Feb. 21, 12:30 P. M., 1 mi. east of Schwenksville on Dieber Road, known as Sunnyside Farm.

FARM MACHINERY—1950 Farmall H. tractor, 1950 T45 McD. baler, 1950 McD. side rake, 2 bottom plow, JD 3 ft. disc, 1949 Cub tractor with cultivator, snow plow, 2 way plow, corn planter, manure spreader, mowing machine to fit, grain drill, new New Holland wagon, new JD combine with motor and tank, grain trailer, 37 Ford pick-up with stake body, harrow and roller combined, corn sheller, cement mixer, 3 oil brooders, 1 elec. brooder, lot poultry feeders and water fountains, hog troughs, roll fence wire, steel posts, greasing outfit, hay rope, lot 4x6 new lumber, lot sec. hand lumber, work bench and vise, bench saw and motor, 21 used stanchions, 4 bales baler twine, lot pipe and fittings, small tools of all kinds found around a well equipped farm, some hay and straw, 1 ton superhosphate, and many other items too numerous to mention.

LIVESTOCK — 4 fresh cows, 3 open heifers, 2 young bulls.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS — GE double oven fully automatic elec. range, large wardrobe, kitchen cabinet, some other household goods.

This is an exceptionally clean lot of equipment. Have sold my farm and am moving to Arizona.

Sold by order of
RALPH S. TYSON
Clay C. Hess, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE
OF FARM MACHINERY will be sold February 28 1953 on road from Zieglerville to Spring Mount, Pa.

John Deere model A tractor; John Deere cultivator with quick tach; John Deere 17 hoe grain drill on rubber; John Deere corn planter on rubber; John Deere Spring Tooth Harrow; John Deere 8 ft. Disc like new; John Deere side delivery rake; John Deere automatic wire baler with motor, has only baled 2800 bales; John Deere 2-row corn picker, used one season; John Deere corn sheller on rubber; corn sprayer; 1951 Ford Tractor with lights, 12 inch tires and 12 speed transmission; Wood Brothers Combine; Dearborn 2-bottom plow; Dearborn corn wood saw; rear scoop; Dearborn snow plow; International 3-bottom 14 in. plow; combination Harrow and roller; 2 wagons—utility for Ford tractor; power pulley for Ford tractor; about 4-ton of hay; pair of 10x28 tractor chains; lot of feed bags; grease and grease guns; picks, shovels and rakes; 1941 Dodge 4-dr. sedan with new tires and battery; Dearborn Disc; lot of other articles too numerous to mention. Sale at 1 p. m. Sharp!

CONDITIONS DAY OF SALE
PHILLIP SLONAKER
J. S. Slonaker, Auct.

CLAY C. HESS
AUCTIONEER
Phone Collegeville 2168

PUBLIC SALE
OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS, on Saturday afternoon, February 28, on the premises located along Bechtel Road, about midway between Parkerford and Bethel Church near former Duck Farm, Chester Co, Pa

Consisting of: 1946 ¾-ton Hudson pickup truck, practically new tires; cattle rack, good shape; 1929 Model A ½-ton pick up truck; brooder house; cedar posts; brooder stove; feeders and fountains; 32 ft. extension ladder, like new; new electric paint sprayer; tools and a full line of good household furnishings.

Full particulars Tuesday, Feb. 24.
Conditions Cash by
JOSEPH ELIAS
R. T. Richards, Auct.

AUCTIONS-SALES - 90

PUBLIC SALE
OF FARM STOCK AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS on Tuesday, February 24, at 1 P. M. in Oley Township, Berks County, midway between Friedensburg and Five Points on black top road leading off Route 73. Be sure to attend.

Conditions by
ELAM HARMAN
John R. Cleaver, Auctioneer
Harvey Minninger, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE
LIVESTOCK, FARM MACHINERY & FEED
Saturday, Feb. 28, 12:30 p. m., on Whitehall Road, opposite Norristown State Hospital, known as former Steinbach farm.

LIVESTOCK: 11 pure bred Guernsey cows, Bangs and T. B. cert., 3 fresh, balance Spring fresheners. A heavy milking herd.

MACHINERY: Farmall H tractor, cultivator, snow plow, McD. 10-20 tractor, 2 bottom plow, McD. grain drill, 1946 Studebaker farm truck, G license, bale elevator, cultipacker, disc, corn planter, spring tooth harrow, hammer mill, manure spreader, single plow, grass seeder, rubber tire wagon, mowing machine, feed mixer, rubber-tired wheelbarrow, 10 rolls new woven wire, 2 corn shellers, saddles, harness, battery brooder, fuel tank, milk buckets, milk cans, elec. clipper, small tools of all kinds and many other items too numerous to mention.

FEED: 150 bu. corn, 400 bales hay, 130 bales straw.

Farm has been sold and everything must be liquidated.

Sold by order of
MRS. LAURA KOCHER
Clay C. Hess, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE
OF FARM STOCK ON Tuesday, March 3, 1953, on the farm of the undersigned in Lower Heidelberg Township, Berks County, Pa., first lane north at the western end of borough of Sinking Spring, Pa.

Fifty head of Holstein milk cows, some fresh by day of sale; others are close springers. Holstein stock bulls. This is a fine herd of Tioga County cattle.

John Deere model A tractor with Horn loader; 7-ft. mounted grass mower and 2-row cultivator, John Deere model M tractor with single row cultivator, and circular saw; Allis-Chalmers model WD tractor, John Deere 6-ft. combine with motor, New Holland pick-up baler, Horn hydraulic snow plow, 2 John Deere No. 44 tractor plows, John Deere 16" single bottom rubber tire tractor plow; 4-section spring tooth lever harrow; 2-section peg harrow, 6-ft. cutaway disc, McCormick-Deering cultipacker, land roller, Black Hawk corn planter with fertiliber attachments; Ontario 16-disc fertilizer-grain drill, McCormick-Deering manure spreader, New Idea manure spreader, New Idea 4-bar side delivery rake, McCormick-Deering single row corn picker; Dellinger silo filler, hay tedder, 2 Coby rubber tire wagons, McCormick-Deering rubber tire wagon, dump wagon, Papec hammer mill with governor, Lavelle elevator with motor and cord, tractor grass seeder with motor, John Deere power take-off tire pump, grindstone with motor, ground scoop, extension ladder, 2-hole corn sheller, bag truck, feed carts, three 6-hole James Way hog feeder, 2 hog feeders, 2hog shelters 6x7, 1 hog shelter 8x15 and 1 hog shelter 8x12, 3 chicken shelters 6x9, wire, anvil, vise, pipe wrenches, other tools, forks, shovels, rakes, saws, 2 growing batteries, 6-can McCormick-Deering milk cooler, nine 85-lb. milk cans, 4 pails, strainer, 1-unit DeLaval milker, Saf-Gard hot water heater, washtubs and many other tools and articles used on a 160-acre farm.

1947 Jeep 4-wheel drive pick-up truck, in good condition; 15 tons baled 2d and 3d cutting alfalfa hay, 25 tons of ear corn.

Sale at 12 noon. Conditions by
RUFUS A. FURLOW.
Bixler, Killian and Oxenreider, Aucts.
Moll and Speicher, Clerks.
No hucksters. Refreshments by Gouglersville Grange.

AUCTION
Wednesday evening, February 25, 1953, at 7 p. m. So. Pottstown Auction House, W Main Street, So. Pottstown.

We have a very good lot of clean and nearly new furniture to offer this week. Listing to appear in Monday, Feb. 23 paper.

SO. POTTSTOWN AUCTION HOUSE

HATFIELD FAIR GROUND BAZAAR, INC. Livestock Auction every Monday, 1:30 p. m.

Outstanding Land-Buying Opportunity
360 FT. COMMERCIAL FRONTAGE
S. SIDE ON PENN AVE.,
5 Miles W. of Reading
Sold as 3 Parcels or Entirety

ABSOLUTE AUCTION
CLEAR OF MORTGAGE

Right in the heart of area now experiencing tremendous commercial and residential growth. Direct route N. Y. to Harrisburg and west. Exceptionally high volume of traffic.

PARCEL NO. 1—Tract 300' on S. side Penn Ave. x 360' to R.R.
PARCEL NO. 2—Lot 60' x 175'.
PARCEL NO. 3 — Tract 120' x 142' with frontage on 2 proposed streets.

15% Deposit. Send for circular.

Sale on Premises
SAT., MARCH 21, 1 P. M.

Louis Traiman AUCTION COMPANY
1519 Spruce St., Phila. 2 KI 5-2238

AUCTIONS-SALES - 90

EXTON LIVESTOCK AUCTION, INC.
EXTON, PENNA.
Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1953 at 1 P. M.
About 40 head of real good dairy cows, most of which are fresh with calves by their side or close springers. Irvin Adams will be here with a load of those good Holstein and Guernsey Cows with plenty of size and quality.

SPECIAL MENTION
Of one dairy consisting of 15 head of mixed Holstein and Guernsey Cows consigned by Ralph Hill. Most of these cows are fresh or close springers, balance in full flow of milk. One extra nice Holstein stock bull. Also our usual run of local dairy cows and stock bulls.

OUR REGULAR BUTCHER SALE 7 P. M.

Over 300 head of calves, lambs, hogs, steers and fat cows. We have good buyers for unlimited numbers of fat cattle, calves, lambs and hogs.

All Kinds of Livestock Sold on Commission

Sale Every Tuesday, Ph. Exton 786
HENRY FRANCIS, Manager

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EXTON, PENNA.

NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES, Inc.
NEW HOLLAND, PA.

PUBLIC SALE
MONDAY, FEB. 23, 1953 at 11:00 A. M. Sale of work horses and mules, also some riding and driving horses.

A. S. LIPSCHUTZ has consigned one load of MULES, DRAFT HORSES, and the remainder are SADDLE and DRIVING HORSES.

NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES, Inc.
J. H. GINGRICH, Mgr.

PUBLIC SALE
Of Farm Stock and Household Goods on Wednesday, March 4th., 1953 near Pleasantville, one square from covered bridge, Oley Twp, Berks Co.

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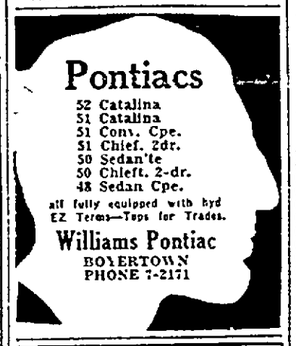
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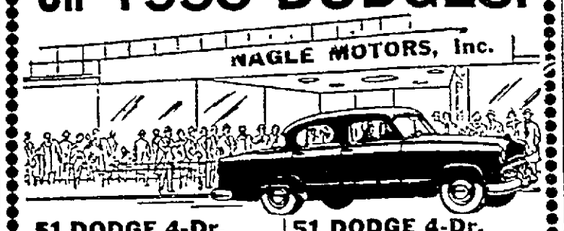
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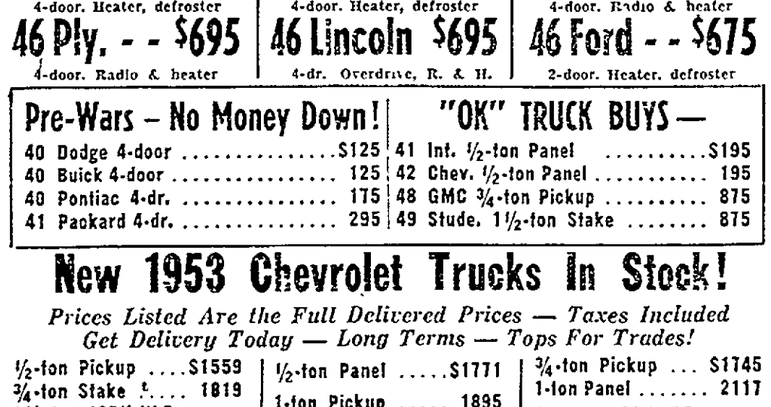
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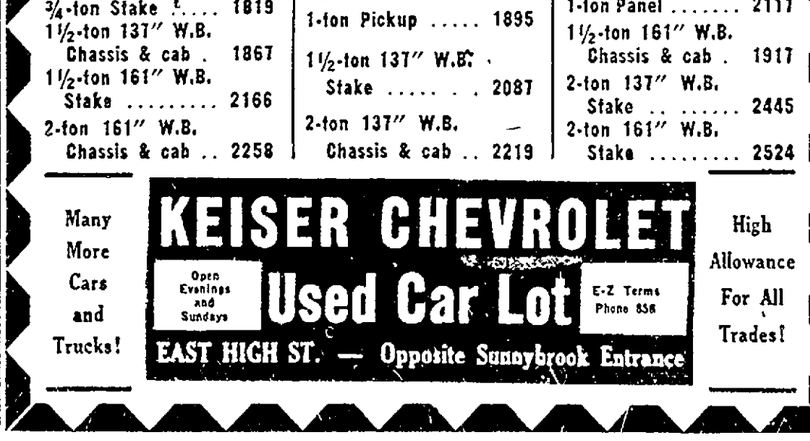
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Order Revoked by Judge In Damage Proceedings

In the land damage proceedings of Daniel S. Reppert, Earl Township, against the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Judge Forrest R. Shanaman in Berks County court, on motion of Paul D. Edelman, attorney, revoked an order for the appointment of viewers in order that a question of law can be argued before the court.

The Reppert property is located on Route 73 on the Pleasantville-Boyertown road.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths 1

REINERT—In Boyertown, on Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1953, Mamie L (Renninger), wife of Warren H. Reinert, age 67 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Linwood W. Ott Funeral Home, 111 N. Reading Ave., Boyertown, on Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery. Friends may call on Friday evening 7 to 9 (Ott)

HEYDT—In Boyertown, on Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1953, Frank F., husband of the late Katie (DeLong) Heydt, age 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Sunday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery. Friends may call on Saturday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

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Kitchen Band Presents Novelty Dutch Musical at Berlinville Auxiliary Social

A group of 11 women from Boyertown and vicinity presented a very special program in the form of an old fashioned Pennsylvania Dutch musical following the business session of the Liberty Fire company Ladies' auxiliary, New Berlinville, in the social room.

The women, known as "De Nie Stommer Gabrocht Kicca Bandt" which translated means "The New Get-Together Kitchen Band," were introduced by the conductor Mrs. Hilda Fitts.

The group entertained with musical instruments made up of kitchen utensils and household articles. They played old Pennsylvania Dutch folk lore songs.

Members of the band and the community they represented were: Mrs. Annie Coleman, "Weiserstadt" (Weisstown); Mrs. Erma Fox, "Glopboard Staddel" (Pale Fence); Mrs. Carrie Weber, Sponktown" (Englesville); Mrs. Viola Miller, "Groppa Barrick" (Crow Hill); Mrs. Alda Christ, "Holsa Hocka Stadt" (Woodchoppertown).

Also Mrs. Grace Moyer, "Hossa Sock" (Hosensack); Mrs. Erma Updegrove, "Oyster Dall" (Oyster Dale); Helen Kreitz, "Cherry Strose" (Cherry street); Mrs. Pearl Hollowbush, "Glingel Barrick" (Ringing Hill); Mrs. Alice Thomas, "Fogel's Barrick" (Bird Hill); and Mrs. Hilda Fitts, "Grudda Dall" (Frog Valley).

A total of 54 auxiliary members were present who were treated to cherry pie, ice cream and coffee by a social committee headed by Mrs. Minnie Fronheiser.

Mrs. Annie Coleman is in charge of an auxiliary committee which to date has made more than 11,000 home-made Easter eggs which they are selling.

The nightly pig-in-box awards wer made to Mrs. Hilda Frain, Mrs. Grace Moyer and Mrs. Anna Reinert.

Three applications for membership were received to be voted on at next month's meeting. A hat social has been planned for that meeting.

Mrs. Sarah Herb, president, conducted the meeting.

Red Cross Sets Goal For Area at Meeting

The county division of the 1953 fund campaign for the Berks County Chapter, American Red Cross, embracing 11 sub-divisions in rural and suburban communities, launched its part of the drive on Thursday night during a dinner in the Berkshire hotel, Reading.

Boyertown was represented by its branch chairman, Harry I. Gilbert, and the campaign chairman, Mrs. I. Ralph March. The goal for Boyertown was set at $5825.

Harold E. Bright, chapter chairman, said the chapter's goal of $158,785 is vitally needed if the county Red Cross is to carry out its proposed expansion of projects during the coming year.

Carl L. N. Erdman, general campaign chairman, explained the overall objectives of the drive and where the money will be applied to the various services which are provided to the community by the Berks Red Cross.

Gilbert and Mrs. March stated yesterday that the first meeting of the volunteer workers ading in the drive will be held next Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Community center.

Green Tag Pennant Sale to End Today

Today is the final of the three-day Green Tag sale conducted by the merchants of Boyertown.

Many persons have shopped the Boyertown stores during the past two days with many more persons expected to shop today and take advantage of the tremendous bargains being offered.

Howard B. Schanely, chairman of the merchant's committee in charge of the sale, stated last night that he hoped the customers would patronize the merchants displaying the Green Tag pennants as these stores assured the people of many wonderful buys.

BOYERTOWN CHURCH DIRECTORY

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran, the Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor. Tomorrow, 9 a. m., Bible school—"Conquering deceit through Truth"; 10.15 a. m., service, a special father and son recognition service as a part of YMCA father-son relationship program; 10:15 a. m., Church Nursey hour; 1 p. m., Catechetical class; 7:30 p. m., vespers, acolyte, Terry Samsel. Monday, 7 p. m., Girl Scouts. Tuesday, 7 p. m., Boy Scouts; 7:30 p. m., final session of Mission study class, "Africans on Safri," chapters five and six. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., midweek Lenten service, "Servants and Their Reward."

Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Harper L. Schneck, pastor. Tomorrow, 9 a. m., Church school; 10:15 a. m., father and son morning worship service. 1 p. m., Church Membership class. 7:30 p. m., evening worship. Monday, 7 p. m., Boy Scouts. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., midweek Lenten service. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Senior choir. Friday, 3:45 p. m., Junior choir. Saturday, 7:30 p. m., annual Boy Scout Troop 3 parents' night.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. H. I. Carmichael, pastor. Tomorrow, 9 a. m., Sunday school and Men's Bible class, "How Jesus Answered Questions". 10:10 a. m., morning worship with fathers and sons present; 6:15 p. m., class in Catechism; 7 p. m., early prayer service; 7:30 p. m., evening worship with special Lenten service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., midweek Lenten service; 8:30 p. m., Steward Board monthly meeting.

Boyertown Mennonite, Henry Paul Yoder, pastor. Tomorrow, 9 a. m., Sunday school; 10 a. m., service, theme, "Man—His Creation and Fall"; 7:30 p. m., Bible meeting Thursday, 7:45 p. m., prayer meeting and Bible study at pastor's home—study is "Assurance of Salvation," teacher, John Glick.

St. Columbkill's Catholic, the Rev. B. H. Creamers, rctor. Today, 9 to 11 a. m., class in Christian Doctrine; 7 to 8:30 p. m., confession. Tomorrow, 7 and 9 a. m., mass; class in Christian Doctrine following mass Mass on Holy days at 6 and 7:30 a. m.

Gospel hall, East Fifth street. Tomorrow, 9 a. m., Sunday school, 10:15 a. m., Breaking Bread; 7 p. m., Gospel preaching by Joseph Martin, missionary to Paraguay Tuesday, 8 p. m., Bible study Wednesday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting. Thursday, 7:15 p. m., Happy hour.

Assembly of God, East Philadelphia avenue, LeRoy Wiley, pastor. Tomorrow, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., worship, 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service. Thursday, 7:45 p. m., prayer service.

DIES AT 101

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20 (AP)—Mrs. John B. Barr, whose great-great-grandfather, William S. McCormick, was the first white settler in the Connellsville area, died at the age of 101 today in her suburban Bellevue home.

+++ SCHOOL DAYS +++

— In Collegeville-Trappe Schools —

King, Queen of Hearts Are Crowned At Junior Class Valentine Dance

By MARY JANE BETZ

The King and Queen of Hearts were crowned at the Junior class Valentine dance, "Sweethearts Serenade."

The queen was Janet Snovel and the king was James Hefelfinger. The crown bearers were Grace Meleary and Wayne Ledger.

There was a large attendance and the gymnasium was beautifully decorated in red and white crepe paper in the Valentine theme. Don Garrell's orchestra provided music for the evening.

Members of the Senior class who are still somewhat in doubt about vocational plans are being given a series of tests by the Norristown office of the State Employment service to determine where their abilities lie.

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THE TESTS, which require a half day for completion, will be followed up shortly with an interview by a guidance specialist from that office.

On Monday evening, the Tri-Hi-Y under the sponsorship of Eleanor Kozelnicky held a special meeting at which the newly inducted officers presided. The guest speaker was Dr. Paul Yount, currently supply pastor at Augustus Lutheran church, Trappe, who addressed members and friends on the topic, "If I Were Young Again."

A social period followed the meeting.

The Hi-Y under the sponsorship of Mr. Clement Leftwich enjoyed a swimming party at the Norristown YMCA on Monday evening instead of its regular meeting.

Thursday members of the Senior class participated in a Model Congress at Temple university. Representatives of member high schools in this area duplicate the work and procedure of the US House of Representatives and Senate. Pupils are designated to represent States of the union.

The PTA held a covered dish supper in the schools' new cafeteria. Parents of pupils and friends of the school were invited. A brief "Know Your School" chat was presented by band master Richard A. Fish. A special musical program was presented as entertainment by music students of Ursinus college.

Swings On Reds



Marine Captain Gerry Coleman, former star second baseman for the New York Yankees, climbs from his Corsair fighter-bomber after a successful strike against enemy installations in Communist-held North Korea. The 28-year-old flier, a combat veteran of World War II, is serving with the "Deathrattlers" squadron of the First Marine Air Wing in Korea.

Danes Hold Editor For Troop Mutiny

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Feb. 20 (AP) — A Communist editor was formally charged today, with inciting this week's wave of mutinies among Danish troops protesting the extension of military service from 12 to 18 months.

Police and military investigators said they also had seized posters obviously printed "in a Slavic country," indicating agencies behind the Iron Curtain masterminded the plot to fan dissatisfaction among the troops.

The charge against editor Palle Voigt is the first of its kind in Denmark since 1934. If found guilty, he may be sentenced to a maximum of two years in prison.

Youth Gets 25 Years For Murder by Arson

CHICAGO, Feb. 20 (AP) — A youth who set fires in which his father and another man died, was sentenced today to 25 years in prison for murder by arson.

Judge Wendell E. Green in criminal court sentenced Nelson Letts, 16, after denying the youth's motion for a new trial.

Letts will serve the term at Stateville penitentiary, Joliet.

Police Push Search For Coed's Brother In Mystery Slaying

JOHNSTOWN, Feb. 20 (AP)—State and county police pushed a search today for Jean Christoff, 24, hoping he may be able to throw some light on the mysterious death of his sister, June, 21, a Senior at Pennsylvania State college.

Christoff has been missing from his home in nearby Frugality since the girl's fully clothed body was found in an upstairs bedroom Tuesday night. A cloth belt was wrapped around the neck.

Coroner Joseph Govekar said the girl was strangled. He withheld a verdict pending results of an autopsy and questioning of the brother.

Paul Christoff, the father, issued a statement today saying:

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"WE ARE POSITIVE June's death was suicide. She had threatened such a thing on several occasions."

State police filed two burglary charges against the missing Christoff today. The information was filed by Pvt. Albert G. Pfadt before justice of the peace Elizabeth Rowland.

Christoff is charged with stealing an adding machine and $10 worth of wire from the Velest Coal company, in Gallitzin township on Oct. 26 and of stealing an adding machine from the same company on Nov. 19.

The father, who found the girl's body as he returned from work, told police his son often leaves home on hunting and trapping trips in wooded areas which surround the home.

Postmaster's Daughter Jailed for Mail Theft

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20 (AP)—Emilie J. Bondi, 18-year-old daughter of the Canonsburg postmaster, was given 18 months in federal prison today after she pleaded guilty to stealing two diamond rings from the mail.

Miss Bondi was working in her father's office as a Christmas helper, Dec. 8, when the rings with wholesale values of $407 and $345 were placed in the mail by a Canonsburg jewelry store.

A postal inspector said the girl took one ring to another Canonsburg jeweler for appraisal and later sold both in Pittsburgh for $75 each, one to a jewelry store, the other to a loan company.

Red Police Shoot At Fleeing Refugees

BERLIN, Feb. 20 (AP)—Communist People's police fired today on three refugee vehicles which broke through frontier barriers at two different points of the Soviet sector border, West Berlin police reported. Nobody was hurt and the cars reached the West safely.

In the first incident two cars neared the check point at low pace. Just at the border, they swung to high speed, left the street and drove through ruins and rubble heaps into the American sector. The Communist border guard pistol fire did not hit the two men.

At the French sector border people's policemen tried in vain to stop a truck, manned by driver and co-driver. The four inmates of the three vehicles asked for political asylum.

Ex-Ambassador Picked As Conference Advisor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles, with President Eisenhower's approval, has named former ambassador Lewis W. Douglas as an advisor in forthcoming high level talks here with British leaders.

A State department announcement today said that the former envoy to London also will serve as Dulles' representative when the secretary himself is unable to be present at conferences with British Foreign Secretary Eden and Chancellor of the Exchequer Butler.

Eden and Butler are due here March 4. The talks, which may last four or five days, will be concerned mainly with economic and financial problems involving the interest not only of Britain but of the British Commonwealth of nations.

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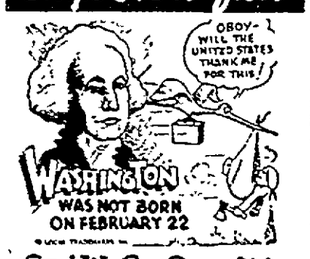
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Soviet Violates Agreements President Says in Message

RESOLUTION OF HOPE FOR CAPTIVE PEOPLES IS ASKED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—President Eisenhower asked Congress today to join him in denouncing the rulers of Soviet Russia for subjecting free peoples to totalitarian imperialism "in violation of the clear intent" of World War II secret agreements such as at Yalta.

He sent to the Capitol a proposed resolution proclaiming the hope that captive peoples shall again enjoy freedom "in accordance with the pledges of the Atlantic Charter."

The Atlantic Charter, agreed upon by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in August, 1941, called among other things for the right of all peoples to self-government.

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THE DENUNCIATION contained in the resolution Eisenhower submitted today was turned entirely against the Russians and their violations of agreements with the United States.

It avoided pointing the finger of blame at previous, Democratic presidents for having entered into such agreements as Yalta and Potsdam in the first place.

This represented an apparent change in position from that announced by the President in his State of the Union Message Feb. 2. He said then he would ask Congress to make clear that the United States recognizes no commitment "contained in secret understandings of the past with foreign governments which permit" enslavement of foreign peoples.

This was taken as a rap at the Yalta agreement, especially. This pact, signed by President Roosevelt, granted territorial and other concessions to the Russians to induce them to enter the war against Japan.

Horace Dodge Weds Gregg Sherwood

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 20 (AP)—Horace E. Dodge 2d, wealthy member of the motor car family, and Gregg Sherwood, platinum blonde actress, were married today in the palatial Dodge mansion, Playa Rienta, on the oceanfront here.

The Rev. Samuel Moody Lindsay, pastor of the old and fashionable Royal Poinciana chapel, performed the ceremony in the presence of members of their families and a few close friends.

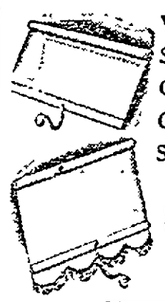
Mons Fjelstad of Beloit, Wis., father of Miss Sherwood, gave the bride in marriage. Her only attendant was Mrs. Florence Sisman of Detroit, a former sister-in-law of Dodge's. The bridegroom has been married four times previously. It was Miss Sherwood's second marriage.

LOCAL NOTICES

Sauer Kraut Supper, Sat., Feb. 21st from 4 to 8 p. m.—Pine Forge Auxiliary, Pine Forge Sportsman's Club.

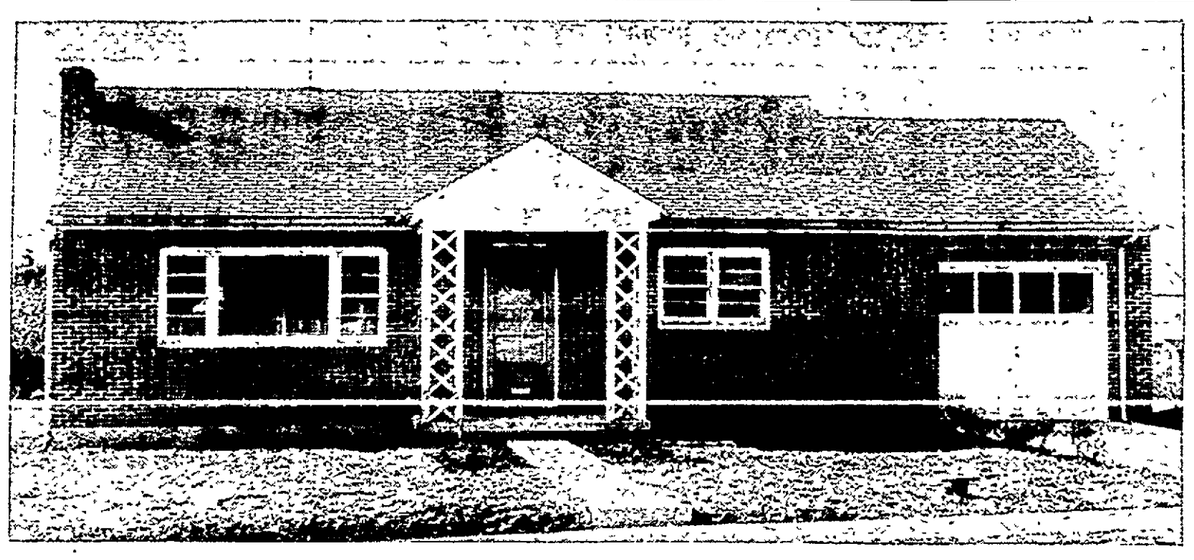
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PROBERS TOLD "VOICE" SCRIPTS SERVED REDS

Senate Group Discovers Free Love Group On Radio Staff

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Perturbed senators were told today that some Voice of America radio scripts have catered to Communism and that a Voice official wanted to go in for what the senators called "free love."

Virgil H. Fulling and Michael G. Horneffer, both of New York, testified to a Senate investigating subcommittee they personally knew of scripts aimed at Latin America and France that were "damaging" to this country and "helpful" to the Communist cause.

Fulling said he believes three fellow-employes of the Voice, Donald Taylor, Bob Goldman and Harold Berman, are "friendly to the Communist cause." He wouldn't say whether it is his opinion they are Reds.

A third witness, Nancy Lenkeith, told of being invited to join what the senators described as a free love "collectivist group" the day she went to work for the Voice in December, 1951.

She, too, said she had reviewed scripts for broadcast to France and found some of them "definitely damaging and detrimental"—as "detrimental as they could possibly be"—to the welfare of America.

Miss Lenkeith, 30-year-old London-born doctor of philosophy, said she was fired from the Voice on 40 minutes' notice the day after she broadcast a favorable review of Whittaker Chambers' book, "Witness," the account of a Communist who was converted to anti-Communism. She is a free-lance writer now.

AD-MAN DIES

SCRANTON, Feb. 20 (AP) — Arthur E. Morse Sr., 77, a leading figure in the advertising field of Northeastern Pennsylvania, died today at his home here.

Argentina Asks New Weather Station

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Feb. 20 (AP)—Argentina tonight demanded that Britain rebuild the Argentine installations she destroyed on Deception island, near the Antarctic Circle.

She also demanded that two Argentines deported from the Deception base be returned to their post.

The demands were made in a 11-page note which acting foreign minister Gen. Humberto Sosa Molina handed to British ambassador Sir Henry Bradshaw Mack.

The British announced last night the destruction of Argentine building at Deception Sunday and the deportation of two Argentines manning the base. A nearby hut owned by Chile was torn down at the same time. Argentine and Chile have been disputing with Britain over ownership of Deception since the past century.

Sosa Molina is acting foreign minister in the absence of President Juan Peron and foreign minister Jeronimo Remorino, who are away on a week's visit to neighboring Chile. They were reported advised of the case before they left Buenos Aires Wednesday.

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IN SANTIAGO, the Chilean capital, British ambassador Charles Norman Stirling also called at the foreign ministry in connection with the incident. Responsible sources there said a joint declaration may be made by President Peron and President Carlos Ibanez of Chile.

Both Argentina and Chile claim all territory between their southern borders and the south pole.

Britain claims the Falkland islands, 300 miles east of Magellan Straits, by virture of discovery by an English navigator, Capt. John Davis, in 1592.

Bank Official Faces Explosive Threat of Cash-Hungry Patron

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP)—A man thrust a briefcase today into the hands of Charles Tietjen, manager of a Brooklyn branch of the National City bank.

From it, Tietjen took a note which read:

"I am desperate. I will blow up the bank myself if this briefcase is not filled with money."

Stalling for time, Tietjen told the man:

"I'm sorry, but I have to go out to a luncheon."

"If you go out, I'll blow you up," the intruder warned.

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THE MAN opened his coat and displayed two firecracker-like devices strapped to his body and connected with wires. He told Tietjen they were dynamite.

"You'll blow yourself up too," the bank manager pointed out. A bank guard approached and, as the man turned his head, Tietjen jumped him. The guard helped subdue the man.

Police identified the intruder as Salvatore Mangialomini, 32, of Hicksville, N.Y. He was booked on attempted robbery charges.

Said the 54-year-old Tietjen, with a sigh of relief:

"Thank God, nothing happened. I don't know whether I'd do it again. But I did it."

Priest Plans Appeal Of Excommunication From Church to Pope

BOSTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—The Rev. Leonard J. Feeney says he will appeal an order excommunicating him "to the Pope himself."

An order excommunicating the Boston Priest, who contends there is no salvation outside the Catholic church, was issued by the Sacred Congregation of the Holy office in Rome and was published today in the Pilot, weekly paper of the Boston Archdiocese.

The decree, hardest punishment of the Catholic church, charged Father Feeney had "shown stubborn disobedience to an order legitimately enjoined upon him to appear in Rome before authorities of the Sacred Congregation."

In a statement issued today at his Cambridge office Father Feeney said he refused to go to Rome "until the Holy Office would give him a statement of the charges preferred against him as required by the law of the church."

"Such a statement . . . the Holy Office has repeatedly refused to give," he said. ". . . any ecclesiastical penalties, such as excommunication, imposed without stating such charges, are void, and are subject to immediate appeal to the highest court in the church, and to the Pope himself."

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Indian River Temple Oranges	Doz.	33c
Calif. Sweet Peas	2 lbs.	25c
Rival Blue Cut Beets	2½ can	17c; 3 cans 49c
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Camay Soap Reg. 3 for 23c; Bath, 2	for	23c
Rex Dog Food Contains Fresh Meat	3 cans	29c

Pat Thompson's Testimony Finishes State's Evidence in Jelke Vice Trial

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP) — The State rested its vice case against Minot (Mickey) Jelke today with the testimony of blonde Pat Thompson, who hustled her way into cafe society.

The trial then was adjourned until Tuesday when the defense offers whatever testimony it has on behalf of the 23-year-old defendant, heir to oleomargarine millions.

Jelke's attorneys have not said whether he'll take the stand in his own defense. But the bachelor playboy said he's ready if called.

"It wouldn't be like going to a New Year's party," conceded Jelke, a veteran party-goer despite his youth. "But if it's necessary, I'll do it."

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GENERAL SESSIONS Judge Francis L. Valente reportedly is ready to throw his courtroom open if the defense wishes to offer any testimony. He barred press and public during the State's lurid details of high priced vice in cafe society circles.

Valente said he was acting in the interests of public decency in his news blackout. But five New York newspapers and two news services are contesting his order in the appellate division of State Supreme court.

The trial, New York's most sensational vice hearing in many years, began Feb. 2 with selection of an all-male jury.

The State's star witness was 19-year-old Pat Ward, one of three young women Jelke is accused of forcing into prostitution.

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FROM SOURCES within the courtroom, it was learned that Miss Ward testified Jelke won her love, then put her to work as a $50 to $100 a night call girl.

The stubby heir allegedly received from $10,000 to $15,000 of her earnings during Miss Ward's busy career in the love market.

Other State witnesses more or less backed up details of the vice story. Among them was Marguerite Cordova, a former nightclub hatcheck girl who said she went hustling for Jelke after he convinced her she was wasting her talents on men's hats.

The third of the three girls named in the nine-count indictment against Jelke was Miss Thompson, a tall, 23-year-old with a demure look for one of her profession.

Congress Sidetracks Request to Extend Social Security Act

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP) — Republicans on the House Ways and Means committee today sidetracked President Eisenhower's request for prompt action to extend social security benefits to millions of persons not now covered.

Democrats promptly contended the move was another clash between the President and members of his party in Congress. The Ways and Means committee already has challenged the President on tax policy.

But Republican committee members said the Democratic contention was "shopworn." They denied any break over social security and promised harmony and co-operation with the White House in that field.

The Ways and Means committee created a special subcommittee headed by Rep. Curtis (R.Neb) to undertake a deep-digging, thorough survey of the entire social security program.

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REP. REED (R-NY), chairman of the full committee, said the study would take months to complete. He added he expected it would preclude action on social security legislation this year. He said he opposed "piecemeal" legislation until the new survey is completed.

Curtis also indicated he did not expect any legislation to come out of his subcommittee before the planned July recess of Congress.

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Allied Troops Block Red Surprise Raid In T-Bone Hill Area

SEOUL, SATURDAY, Feb. 21 (AP)—American night-flying bombers rained new destruction on Communist Korea early today in still another round of punishing raids highlighted by the heaviest Superfort attack of the year.

On the ground, Allied soldiers moved out into no-man's-land in the T-Bone hill sector of Operation Smack fame and blocked a 400-man Chinese force as it was slipping up for a surprise predawn attack.

They fought off Reds on both sides of the hill in a three-hour fight that thundered and crumped with artillery and mortar fire and crackled with machinegun and small arms fire, traded frequently at close range.

Eighteen Okinawa-based B-29 Superforts smacked two sprawling military bases in the Sopo area near Pyongyang with 180 tons of bombs.

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TWELVE HIT A 155-acre troop and supply center on the main line to the battle front. Spotter aircraft had reported build-up activity there in recent days

Sox other Superforts blasted a 35-acre supply area just to the southwest.

While the Superforts were roaring over the Red Korean capital area, lighter B-26 bombers turned a key military installation in the nearby Chinnampo area into a raging inferno.

Other B-26s hunted down Communist transport all across the peninsula.

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Stamp Honoring National Guard to Go on Sale Tuesday

A new three-cent stamp honoring the National Guard will make its appearance in Pottstown Tuesday.

The stamp, .84 by 1.44 inches, is blue and depicts the National Guard war and peace with appropriate scenes. Across the bottom of the stamp is an ornamental ribbon with the words, "Oldest Military Organization in the US."

"We have 10,000 on hand in sheets of 50 stamps," J. Alfred Marquet, postmaster, explained last night.

"There were ten million printed by the Government, and all first-class postoffices will have them for distribution this Tuesday."

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THE POSTMASTER said that most of the stamps probably will be bought by stamp collectors.

"Some buy them by the sheet. When we sold the stamps commemorating the Bible, collectors bought up the supply we had in a very short time."

He estimated that of about 20,000 requests made each year by various organizations to be commemorated by stamps, the US postmaster general designates about 12 for commemoration.

Collectors wishing first-day cancelations must send their request to the postmaster, Washington, D. C.

Included with the request should be the number wanted, a self-addressed envelope and a money order to cover the cost of handling and price of stamps.

Guardsman Gets Look at New Stamp



—Mercury Staff Photo

Looking over the new 3-cent stamp commemorating the oldest military organization in the United States — the National Guard— is Sgt. Kenneth L. Ingham, Company A member, of 518 Beech street. Holding the stamps, which go on sale Tuesday at the Pottstown postoffice, is J. Alfred Marquet, postmaster. The local postoffice has 10,000 stamps available, and it is expected many of them will be sold to area stamp collectors.

Water Service Cut As Workmen Repair Faulty Fire Hydrant

Water service was interrupted yesterday in the vicinity of High and Washington streets when crewmen of the borough water department=began fixing a faulty fire plug.

A valve was placed in the line feeding the plug. On Monday workmen will repair the mechanism in the plug, which was reported in "bad shape" by Harvey L. Hines, construction superintendent of the water department.

Hines detected the flaw in the plug on Thursday when crewmen were flushing mains.

Since there was no valve between the main water line and the plug in the feeder line, Hines corrected the problem yesterday.

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VALVES ARE installed on most feeder lines in the borough so residents won't be inconvenienced with an interruption of water service when repairs on a plug are necessary.

The 20-inch main on King street and the 10-inch main on Washington street were shut off while crewmen installed the valve.

Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden reported, "We've got to get the plug fixed in the event of a fire there. We didn't know anything about its condition until the flushing was undertaken yesterday."

Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer was told about the faulty plug.

Pottstown's Finest

Hope for the future lies in Pottstown's schools. The Mercury is publishing pictures of Pottstown's finest, the children in our schools. Every day a new room of school children will be shown here. Save the series, and enjoy them anew in future years.



—Mercury Staff Photo

Mrs. Kathryn G. Wenhold (upper right) is the teacher for the above Senior class at West Pottsgrove High school. Girls in the first row (from the left) are Joan Horst, Mary Ann Hospador, Theresa Genery, Laura Brunner, Erna Grunder, Pearl Pota, Mary Axsmith and Anna Ciori. In the second row (same order) are Leidy Gaugler, Joseph Harbach, Dale Neiman, Richard Klick, Ronald Matthews, Richard Bechtel and Roy Mest. From the left in the last row are Paul Strzelecki, William Kellerman, Roger Reider, Lloyd Carpenter, Richard Geisler and Mrs. Wenhold.

Clarification of Street Ordinance Due

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the agreement they will be awarded construction jobs on homes.

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BUILDING PERMITS have been issued by Kepner for these single homes without the posting of bonds, which are required by the ordinance to insure the ultimate payment for paved streets.

The violations have occured on muddy streets. Contractors are dumping slag fill on streets so they will be accessible but no bonds are being provided.

In the cases of large-scale developments, contractors have been complying with the provisions of the ordinance.

Gulden asserted at Monday's highway meeting, "Personally, I can't see what good contractors are doing by dumping slag on mud streets.

"They're certainly not doing us any good by unloading material which eventualy will have to be torn out when a hard road is built. This is a loophole through which they are crawling and it is injuring the borough."

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THE ORDINANCE provides all streets shall be "completed and fully constructed and paved in accordance with borough specifications . . . at the cost of the contractor."

The acceptable alternative where individual homes are built and where paved streets might not be practical for a number of years is to provide a bond guarantee of good faith.

This is the portion of the ordinance which allegedly is being violated in the North End.

The ordinance provides for a penalty of $50 for each offense, and that each day a violation be permitted to continue it will constitute a separate offense.

The rates established for building permits by the 1923 council are, under $100, 50 cents; $100 to $500, $2; $500 to $1000, $2.50; $1000 to $1500, $3; $1500 to $2000, $3.50; $2000 to $3000, $4.50; $3000 to $4000, $5.50; $4000 to $5000, $6.50; $5000 to $6000, $7.50; $6000 to $7000, $8.50; $7000 to $8000, $9.50; $8000 to $9000, $10.50; $9000 to $10,000, $11.50

For each $1000 above $10,000 an additional $1 is charged.

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MANY BUILDERS in the past have attempted to lower estimates on planned construction so they can keep their building fees at a minimum, it has been charged.

Although the scale was set up 30 years ago it has not been changed.

The graduated scale was based on the costs of processing permits. It is accepted as a fair way of charging for permits.

Lindauer cited section 17 of the fire code, which was violated by McCrory company when it built its new $500,000 store, at 325 High street.

The code provides sprinkling systems shall be installed in all basements, cellars, and sub-cellars exceeding 2000 square feet in area within enclosing masonary walls and used for the storage, sale, manufacture or handling of flammable materials.

Kepner last night explained rumored violations of the zoning code in the Brookside homes development, bordered by Washington, Prospect, Wilson and Adams streets.

He said several garages erected in the R2 zone were "perfectly legal."

The building inspector was appointed to his job in the "roaring 20s" when he also held down a job as an engineer at the Bethlehem Steel company.

He was reappointed by each council until 1947 when an amendment to the borough manager's ordinance changed the disposition of a number of appointed officials. Now, these appointees work directly under the borough manager.

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KEPNER WORKS two nights a week at his office in borough hall and is on the job three mornings. He is subject to call by the borough manager.

He works for a salary of $2100 yearly and received a $100 pay boost this year when council increased the salaries of all borough employes on the basis of $200 boosts for full-time work.

Among his responsibilities are the issuing of building permits, checking estimated costs of submitted plans, inspecting building and the scheduling of hearing before the zoning board of adjustment when exceptions to the zoning code are requested.

'ARMY' DRIVE—

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sneider will be an ex-officio member of the committee.

He is acting as chairman of the board in place of O. C. Beacraft, elected chairman, who is spending several months in Florida.

All five appointees to the committee have accepted the assignments, Hiester reported last night. He added he expected an organization meeting of the committee would be held next week.

BALLOT COUNT—

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in the election. Ford is the incumbent.

A hot contest preceded the Feb. 10 voting.

In Pottstown, the campaign was climaxed by a tumultuous rally for Ford that had to be cut short because of the disturbance created by Davidson's backers.

The ballots will be counted by three elected International tellers in Pittsburgh. The Honest Ballot association already has checked them.

Ford claimed victory by 435 votes after the election.

RUSSIA CONTRIBUTES

LONDON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Russia contributed 90,000 pounds ($252,000) today to the Lord Mayor's fund to aid victims of England's East coast flood.

Obituaries

JULIUS BANYAI died at his **SCHWENKSVILLE RD** home yesterday morning at the age of 75. Husband of Victoria (Tily) Banyai, he was a member of Verhavai Fraternity of Philadelphia.

He is survived by nine children, Jolan, wife of Robert Wells, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Julius Jr., Limerick; Joseph, Limerick; John, Perkiomenville; Carl, Valley Forge; George, at home; Rose, wife of John Farman, Norristown; and Helen, wife of Frank Sontona, Stowe.

Also, one sister, Rose, wife of John Wircky, Newtown Square; and one brother, Joseph, Mt. Ephrian, N. J., and 25 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services will be held from his late residence Tuesday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in St. James cemetery, Limerick. Viewing will be held Monday from 7 to 9 p. m.

MRS. SARAH B. SCHULTZ, PALM, died on her 52d birthday anniversary Thursday at her home.

Her son, Lowell C. Schultz had been inducted into the Army only the previous week and was notified of her death when he arrived at his first duty station in Kentucky.

Born in Longswamp, Berks county, Mrs. Schultz is survived by her husband, Charles K.; her mother, Mrs. Ida M. Herbst Schantz, Palm; two daughters, Loraine, wife of Clarence Eschbach, East Greenville, and Doris, wife of Leroy Sell, Fullerton; two other sons, Linwood, Emmaus, and LaVerne, Palm.

Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. Hannah Hoch, Wernersville, and five grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Monday in Zionsville Evangelical Reformed church, with burial in the adjoining cemetery.

Salvation Army Teensters To Attend Girl Guard Rally

Sixteen teen-age girls will represent Pottstown Salvation army at a district girl guard rally in Reading this morning.

Girls between the ages of 12 and 17 will leave the borough at 9 a. m. for the morning and afternoon session. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Capt. C. Robert Flinn.

Foremen's Club Chooses Candidates

Candidates for officers of the Pottstown Executives' and Foremen's club were named last night, and a West Indies missionary addressed the club on the progress made by the tiny islands to the south of the United States.

Named to run for election at the March meeting of the club by the nominating committee were Miller C. Long, president; Edward Levengood, vice president; Michael Dutzer, second vice president; Irvin Hauseman, recording secretary; and George W. Copeland, treasurer.

The speaker was the Rev. Edward A. Odell, secretary for the West Indies board of national missions of the Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Odell was substituting speaker for Don F. Copell, vice president of Wagner Baking company, Newark, N. J. Wagner was unable to attend the meeting.

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THE MISSIONARY spoke on Cuba, Dominican Republic and Puerto Rico.

Francis Donohue, president, presided at last night's meeting attended by 175 members. Group singing was led by Francis W. Hennessey, and Miller C. Long, vice president, introduced guests.

Paul H. Grim introduced Marilyn Long and Harriet Detweiler who played a piano duet.

Program chairman was Charles L. Schulz.

It was announced that a delegation of members from the Pottstown club will go to Reading, Thursday, as guests of the Executives' and Foremen's club there.

19-YEAR-OLDS—

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Pennsylvania to be called for induction during March, only 3800 will be 20 years old or above.

Pottstown's quota for March has been set at 29 men by State Selective Service headquarters in Harrisburg.

Longaker said he had not yet received notification of such a figure.

Next month's quota will mark the first time 19-year-olds have been called in substantial numbers.

But in Pottstown, the situation has probably been a little more acute than in other regions.

According to Longaker, the big percentage of this month's quota of 39 men, who left for induction at Schuylkill Arsenal the past week, was made up of men in the 19-year age class.

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Nineteen Pottstown area youths wil be among 62 from Berks county who will be inducted into the service March 3.

The group will report to the Franklin street station in Reading at 9:30 a. m. on that date and travel to Harrisburg by bus.

Area young men who have received notices for induction are Harold R. Reider, Oley; Lindy R. Schock, 616 Mill street, Boyertown; Robert L. Jones, Elverson RD 1; Donald R. Reider, Oley; Marvin D. Weaver, 123 Furnace street, Birdsboro.

Oliver J. Pribanick, Douglassville RD 1; Robert S. Brown, Birdsboro RD 1; Charles R. Conrad, Bechtelsville; George D. Shirey, Boyertown RD 2; Harold F. Rimby Jr., 109 Cinder street, Birdsboro; Richard P. Dunkelberger, Mohnton RD 2.

Roy L. Cole, Birdsboro RD 2; Harold M. Readinger, Oley RD 1; Richard J. Eddinger, 30 South Washington street, Boyertown; Kenneth C. Ellis, 606 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown; Henry E. Mammarella, 294 River road, Birdsboro.

William S. Lorah, 18 Walnut street, Mohnton; Kenneth H. Sheetz, 348 West First street, Birdsboro, and Harvey E. Rhoads, Douglassville RD 2.

METER READER—

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Linfield, Limerick, Spring City, Collegeville, Trappe, and numerous other places in the country through his 31-year stint with the firm.

His visits never were long, but he always had a cheery word for the women in the kitchen and the children at play.

During the peak of his career he checked about 200 meters daily. He was the chief meter reader in the area.

During his illness his place has been taken by Thomas Rossiter, Cedarville.

Mrs. Wausnock reported, "I brought him home on the train today. He was terribly sick for a while. In fact, he was on the critical list. But he's going to be all right now."

Both his son and daughter have remained close to the military. The son, Donald, 27, is an 11-year veteran of the Navy, currently stationed in Cuba. His daughter, Marie, wife of James R. Smith, an 8-year Army man, now lives in Long Beach, Calif.

Wausnock lists two hobbies besides meter reading: fishing and a friendly game of dice.

Service Station Burglars Too Late in Blowing Safe

SCRANTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Burglars blew open the safe in the office of Willys sales and service station, Old Forge, during the night expecting to make a big haul of cash. But they got nothing for their trouble.

The owners, William and Michael Hrobuchak, having removed $3300 from the safe late yesterday and deposited it in a bank.

Court Jails Trio in Hitchhike Knifing

Three hitchhikers who admitted stabbing the man who picked them up and then stealing his car were sentenced to prison yesterday by Judge E. Arnold Forrest in Norristown.

Harry Cornog, 22, Norristown, was sentenced to serve from six to 23 months in Montgomery county prison.

His 17-year-old brother, of Trooper, and John J. Waldron, 19, also of Trooper, were given indefinite terms at the State Industrial school at White Hill.

On the night of Jan. 28 the three hitchhiked a ride with John Hildebrandt, 19, of Port Providence.

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"WHILE TRYING to rob Hildebrandt, it was charged, Waldron cut Hildebrandt's throat. Hildebrandt managed to struggle out of the car.

When he did, the trio sped off in his car. Hildebrandt walked to a nearby house. The occupant took him to Montgomery hospital, where he was in serious condition for several days.

54 Russians Board Ship to Leave Israel

TEL AVIV, Israel, Feb. 20 (AP)—Soviet officials lowered the Red flag over their legation here today and Soviet Minister Pavel Yershov and 53 other Russians boarded the Turkish steamer Kedesh for their return to the Soviet Union.

Moscow broke diplomatic relations with Israel the past week.

The convoy to Haifa, where the Kedesh was waiting, was escorted by two van loads of Israeli police and was accompanied by Bulgarian Minister Georgiu Bogdanoff, who announced he will represent Russian interests in this country.

A party of East European diplomats bid Yershov and the Russians goodbye. The Kedesh is returning the Russians by way of Istanbul.

DELIVERIES START

BUTLER, Feb. 20 (AP)—Air Reduction Sales company said today its new liquid oxygen plant has begun deliveries to Armco Steel corporation and Pullman-Standard company here.

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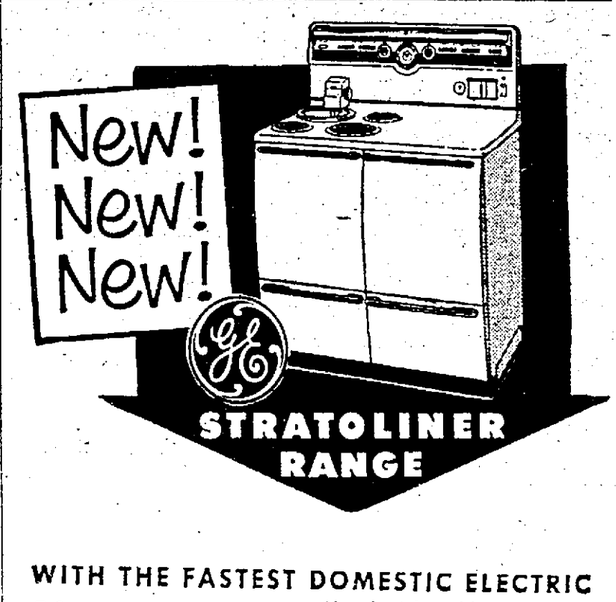
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1953

Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast, to soften rocks, or bend a knotted oak.—William Congreve.

Our Great Faiths

WE live in a land of plenty, in a land of mechanical miracles and great scientific achievements.

We are the best fed, the best clothed and the best housed people in the world.

Our vast material blessings have no equal in the long, turbulent history of civilization.

The productive capacity of our farms . . . our factories . . . our mines is the envy and the hope of a free world.

Yet, at the peak of our prosperity and power, we find ourselves beset by fears, by doubts and by uncertainties.

The situation is a frightening one.

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The seeds of this critical situation in which we find ourselves today were planted many years ago by a German named Karl Marx.

The teachings of this man long lay dormant. But . . . some years ago . . . they came to life in such forms of governments as fascism, nazism, socialism, and communism.

This Marx-bred philosophy is an anti-God concept of life.

It denounces and smears the God-given rights and liberties of man.

It denounces the basic faiths and rights contained in the Bible, the Declaration of Independence and our Constitution.

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Under the Marxist idea, man has only one right . . . the right to follow blindly and unquestioningly the dictates of the State . . . and to slave and die uncomplainingly for it.

This theory of the all-powerful state is now locked in a death struggle with the concept of freedom, justice and the dignity of man.

It is a global struggle with a philosophy which seeks constantly and craftily to destroy everything we hold dear.

It is a conflict between human dignity and godless tyranny . . . between freedom and slavery . . . between God-given rights and State-granted privileges.

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The time has come when we must act, not procrastinate . . . when we must lead, not follow . . . when we must speak, not listen . . . when we must unite, not divide.

In this crisis, we have at our command the strength, the courage and the inspiration which lay in the four great faiths of our founding fathers, faith in God, faith in ourselves, faith in our fellow men, faith in freedom.

Our nation was founded upon these faiths. The men who signed the Constitution . . . the men—and the women—who braved the prairie and the mountain to pioneer our land lived and died by those faiths.

It is time to renew those faiths. Start at once. Go to church tomorrow.

A Record of Opportunity

NUMEROUS novels have been written about the migration of people to America from many lands.

None describes the reason for such migrations better than Vilhelm Moberg in his book "The Emigrants."

In it he presents the dilemma of a Swedish couple one hundred years ago as they argue for and against coming to this country, in the following fictional scene:

"They are both of them strong and healthy and accustomed to hard work, and that was all that they need bring along: Their ability to work; it was all America asked of them. Perhaps they must face as much drudgery as here, but they would do it in another spirit, with another hope, another joy. Because the great difference between the two countries was this: In America they could improve their lot through their own work."

Moberg's scene must actually have occurred in thousands of peasant cottages in many countries where political oppression and the rule of tyrants drove people by the millions to the freedom of America.

Now all around us we see the miracles wrought by people seeking to "improve their lot." Nowhere is the evidence of these miracles more striking than in agriculture.

In America for the first time in thousands of years new methods and new machines were developed for working the soil.

A field harvester can handle up to 25 tons of corn or hay silage per hour. Mechanized cotton-pickers, various types of bailers, harrows, manure spreaders, side-delivery rakes, and picker-shellers, are among labor saving farm machines would cause the early imigrant to gaze in awe struck wonder and yet they are the direct result of the compelling force that drove him to America, the urge to better his lot.

And they have done just that.

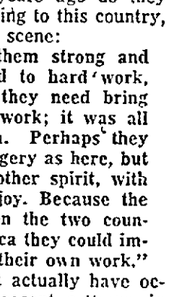
They have cut down drudgery, increased production and lowered costs.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
February 20.

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers that just as we were losing faith in humanity, along comes that splendid annual gesture — National Brotherhood Week!



Spring millinery styles, I read, will feature off-the-face hats for women. And when those March winds begin to blow many a man's chapeau will be off-the-head.

And say: Eat onions for your health, suggests an expert. OK! I'll take my medicine like a good, little man—but inside a hamburger!

Hopin' you air the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

Pupil Resents Quick Criticism

Schools Should Be Used

To the Editor: Referring to the high school junior class spaghetti dinner as criticized by Tax Payer in The Mercury Feb. 19, this Tax Payer was wrong in his letter ("Schools Should Be Used") to the editor.

If Taxpayer does not know the conditions of the high school's cafeteria and of the junior class's spaghetti dinner I wish someone would straighten him out right now.

The high school cafeteria is much too small to have held the crowd that attended.

Did Taxpayer have any of the spaghetti?

If he did he would not be so quick to criticize. If he would have been to the church to see how those pupils cooperated in making the dinner as big a success as it was, he would see that it was not only a big money-maker but a chance for these pupils to co-operate and do something that was open to the public to enjoy; which I am sure they must have.

What we need is more co-operation and not so much criticizing as there usually is on almost anything and everything that the public, whether it is an organization or just a group of individuals, tries to undertake.

The public is given many chances and opportunities to enjoy our schools; the trouble is, very often the public does not take the opportunity; so they have no one to blame but themselves.

There are many activities that take place in our schools; if the public does not take the opportunities when it is afforded them, then they should not be so quick to complain.

Pottstown
MEMBER—SENIOR CLASS

Let's Get True Picture

To the Editor: In reference to a question by "Realist" (Says Reading Reflects Life, Readers Say, Feb. 19), I would suggest biographical reading for a true picture of life rather than fiction.

There are all kinds of people in the world!

Whether one reads about "Heroes of Health" or pirates is certainly a matter of choice and we may profit by their examples!

Schwenksville, RD
RURAL READER

Another Side of the Question

To the Editor: I think the campaign throughout the country to get rid of slot machines is a good idea.

But I believe a lot of people who howled for the removal of the slots are sorry now that the action was taken. Slots should have been removed, but many persons cried for their removal purely on an anti-gambling basis.

Now they're going to pay for some of the things the slots bought. Slots always bought fire protection in the borough.

Now I'm not defending the slot machines. I just want to point out a lot of fire protection has been purchased in the past years by a few guys who pulled the little lever.

Now the anti guy who never did believe in the slot will pay a little more in taxes. It's one of the ironies of our democratic process.

Pottstown SQUARE-MINDED

Animal-Hater's Back

To the Editor: I'm wondering when the police, council, or somebody is going to take action on my last proposal. Cats should be muzzled. Dogs, well, those ugly monsters should be gassed—or shot.

If people in town want to keep pets, let them keep fish—small ones that don't make any noise. Nobody can sleep in Pottstown as it is now.

Dogs yap all night.

If they should stop—maybe their owners finally became annoyed enough to let them come in—the cats begin.

Animals belong on the farm.

In Pottstown they only cause unneeded trouble.

Pottstown MISS PRUDENCE

Spike Their Beer!

To the Editor: My, my, but the WCTUers and their ilk must stretch their imaginations to justify their cause!

Why don't they just up and admit they're a herd of frustrated have-nots who can't stand the idea of anyone else enjoying himself?

Why not abstain from pets because of the medical expenses incurred from dog bites?

It's as sensible as blaming psychiatric wards costs on liquor.

May I humbly suggest that the WCTU undertake some really worth-while cause if it must occupy itself with booze?

The quality of Pottstown's home-distilled gin is vile—so why can't these ladies undertake the task of improving it?

At least they'll be doing something constructive for humanity. And for me, I don't enjoy fusil oil cocktails myself, but can't afford the State store prices. And others feel the same, believe me.

As for the newest WCTU project—preventing the opening of the Capitol Hill club in Washington (Mercury, Feb. 16)—egad! Sheer busy-bodiness!

I want my legislators to be able to relax over a pale, dry gibson between their votes—it'll do wonders for the nation.

Yours for the spiking of temperance near-beer.

Pottstown RUMMY

WASHINGTON

Democrats Plan to Name GOP as Party of Wealth

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—Adlai E. Stevenson has given the cue to the strategy which the "loyal opposition" on Capitol Hill will adopt when it feels that it is time to harry the Eisenhower Administration.

Even before his witty, charming and good-natured New York address, the Democrats in Congress had decided to brand the renovated GOP as the "Party of Wealth."

With his great gift of language, Stevenson improved upon the Rayburn-Johnson line of attack. He gave it a positive push, whereas their approach had been merely critical and negative. In an address approaching the appeal of FDR's finest fireside talks, Stevenson defined the Democrats as "the Party with a heart," and "the Party of the poor."

This will be the line of attack against President Eisenhower's attempt to promote conservative and economic policies at Washington. Every proposal from the White House for revision of labor, tax, tariff and allied laws will be branded as "millionaire legislation."

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ATTITUDE OF BELLIGERENCY: Two rugged Texans—former House Speaker Sam Rayburn and Senate Majority leader Lyndon Johnson—are chiefly responsible for the Democrats' decision to adopt an attitude of belligerency rather than one of complete cooperation. Both legislators had long talks with the 1952 Presidential nominee at New York and during his visit to Washington.

This determination will be reflected when and if the Reed tax-cutting measure reaches the floor of the House and Senate. The White House and the Republican leadership have made clear that they want no action on this proposal until after the budget has been balanced, or at least whittled down by about $5 billion.

But the Democrats intend to back Representative Reed, regardless of the White House-Treasury attitude.

Should the President boldly and openly oppose tax reduction — he has not yet taken such a stand—this issue might enable the Rayburn-Johnson forces to recapture Congress next year.

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MAKINS ENGLAND'S BEST SALESMAN: With Anglo-American relations undergoing a slight strain as a result of Eisenhower-Dulles sharp and aggressive foreign policy, the canny diplomats at 10 Downing Street have shipped a new kind of Ambassador to Washington—Sir Roger Makins. He is the best salesman England ever had in this country, a complete contrast to his predecessors.

British emissaries in the past, such as Sir Ronald Lindsay and Lord Halifax, have been cold, stiff, aloof grenadiers—figures out of the dark Middle Ages. They rarely appeared in public. They never entertained except when His or Her Majesties visited the Capital.

Sir Roger does things differently. He has served here in various positions since the early twenties. He married an American girl, the daughter of Dwight Davis, former Secretary of War and tennis enthusiast. Their five children bring a strange sound to the pseudo-castle embassy on Massachusetts Avenue which the staid structure has not heard in years—the patter of baby feet.

FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING



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The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Broadway Grapevine

WINSTON CHURCHILL'S doctors have warned him about his gourmet's appetite. They say an attack of indigestion might prove very grave if he doesn't cut out the rich diet . . . Cafe society is buzzing with rift rumors about wealthy Bedford Sharpe and his glamorous wife, Juliana Larson — the belle who grabbed so much space at the last opening of the Metropolitan Opera by arriving in tight black pants.



Winston Churchill

Songbird Eileen Barton and her husband, Wynn Lassner, have reconciled after a split that lasted six days. Wynn moved out of their East End avenue home at the height of the spat, but he's moving back and everything's rosy again.

The year's most publicity-minded debutante — a lush beauty — had better check her "props," and fast. The Ivy League boys are appalled, to put it mildly, by papa's deze-dem-doze chauffer. The fact is, "James" used to pack a rod back in the days when Dad wasn't quite as legitimate as he is now, and he isn't used to high society yet.

Buddy Rich certainly moves fast—without even moving! No sooner was it announced here that the ace drummer and his starlet bride, Marie Allison, had parted than Our Boy had a new romance going for him.

A young Parisian doll named Annette de Givesed, who looks like Susan Hayward and has a rich father, too, popped into the Bandbox and made no secret of her crush on Buddy. He reciprocated, and as we go to press Annette is begging him to accompany her to Paris in March and meet the family. (Oooh, zose inhibited Franch girls!)

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TRAFFIC STOPPED at the Colony this week when Carrie Munn walked in. Her champagne blonde psyche knot was gone, her hair was shorn in a chrysanthemum cut and she's now a two-toned brownette . . . A former top ranking comedian is in very bad shape—owes the Government close to $100,000 in back taxes and hasn't been able to land a job in a year.

The constant companionship of Jed Harris and Lillian Hellman is the big gab of the Sardi set . . . London newspapers are playing up the Jelke vice case even more than the New York gazettes. And in Paris the story grabs page one space too. A few of the girls involved should be well-known to certain French citizens.

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SOME OF the major movie companies on the Coast are closing their sets to visitors as if Garbo were before the cameras. The real reason: they don't want anyone to know to what extent they've converted to TV . . . The handyman who spotted the Birdland burglars in Rogues Gallery photographs can now go to the head of his class. He's been taking a night course in criminology.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

WAYNE G., is a factory worker.

"Dr. Crane, my wife has been going to a doctor for the past two weeks, but I can't stand his prices," he informed me.

"Why, he doesn't spend 15 minutes with her, but he charges me $5, and if he makes a house call, it is $10.

"And think of what he makes when he performs a surgical operation. I understand he charges $250 to take out an appendix."

As I recall, it was Daniel Webster who was once consulted by a local blacksmith about a novel point of law.

Webster recognized that the case was exceptional, so he informed his client to come back later, for he didn't have any specific precedent and needed time to think the matter over.

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WEBSTER THEN journeyed to the neighboring large city of Boston and pored over the law books. He even bought himself a few volumes to help prepare the case.

When the trial occurred, Webster demolished the opposing lawyer's arguments and quickly won the decision.

Asked what his charge would be, Webster told the blacksmith that he would leave it up to him.

"Well, it didn't take you but a few minutes to win the judge over, so I think a dollar ought to be about right," said his client.

Actually Webster had already spent about $40 in getting the data together, but the blacksmith didn't know that and didn't realize that Webster's time in making the trip to the next city was all spent on that one case.

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THE CITY physician may be in his office for only a couple of hours in the afternoon, and devote but 15 minutes to an examination of your chest or throat.

He may spend his mornings in free clinics, or donating his time to instruct.

And when a surgeon cuts into your body, there is always the possibility of life or death, so he is under terrific pressure.

I am not defending excessive professional fees, but simply suggesting that many expenses enter into a fee besides the few minutes of a doctor's time.

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

February 21, 1903

TROLLEYMEN'S BALL — Pottstown Union of Street Railway Employes held a ball at Sanatoga park pavilion. Several hundred persons attended the event. Ross Trate and George Swinehart were door tenders and Jacob R. Eagle was floor manager. The committee consisted of L. B. Reifsnyder, A. K. Yocum and Fred Newhart.

25 Years Ago

February 21, 1928

ODD EXCUSES—Judge J. Ambler Williams commented yesterday in Court on the odd excuses offered by persons trying to avoid jury duty. Benton Cadwalader, Pottstown millinery store proprietor, claimed he was the only male executive at the store. The judge asked when he took a vacation and he replied "Never." The judge then said it would be a good thing for him to enjoy a week's vacation and told him to serve on the jury. H Searles Boone, master mechanic at the McClintic-Marshall plant, Pottstown, presented a letter from the general manager asking that he be excused.

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TOASTMASTERS CLUB—The YMCA Toastmasters club elected officers as follows: Milton S. Bachman, president; Leonard Hatfield, secretary and treasurer.

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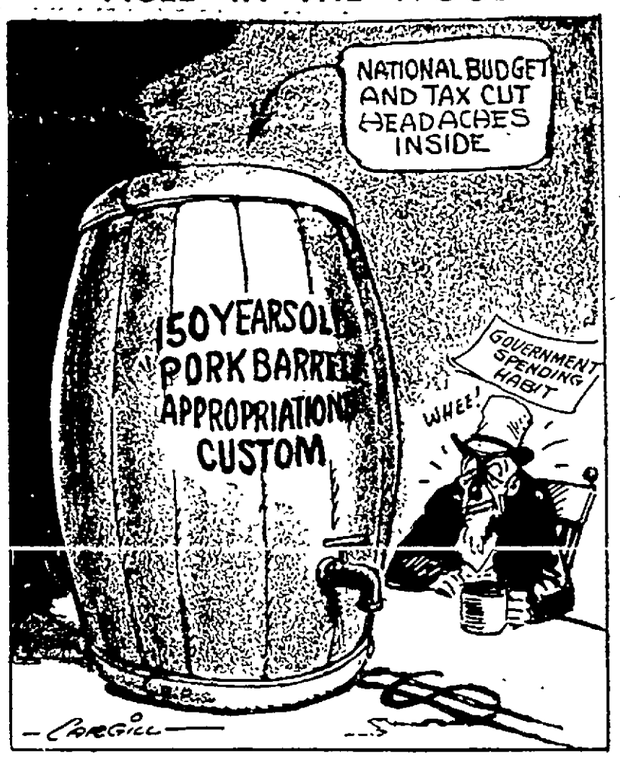
PHS CELEBRATES—Pottstown High school assembly featured Washington's Birthday. Howard Smith, of The Hill school, made an address. Also on the program were Eugenia Moyer, Clyde Roshon, Elizabeth Zollers, Janice Leh, Lillian Hirsch, Ruth Bickel and Lloyd Geisler.

10 Years Ago

February 21, 1943

FOUND DEAD—John Stern, 47, and his son, Robert, 4, were found dead in their home between Linfield and Sanatoga. They were victims of carbon monoxide gas escaping from a stove in a closed room. They were found by George Stern, 14.

AGED IN THE WOOD



Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 20—Cinemascope, newest of the "depth"-bombs is so easy to use, to install and view, it must be giving Cinerama execs., with their over-sized, super screen gimmick, the jitters. Cinerama's stock went down a bit last week. But the outfit is in clover. Just ordered $7,000,000 worth of film and labor from Technicolor. Some of that tint and toil goes into "Paint Your Wagon," first of the Cineramovies to go before Hollywood cameras . . . Heigh-ho! Seems like this whole durned town has third-dimensional tremens. The "3-D.T's"! Katharine Hepburn, after confabs concerning coming cinemas, has hied east. She's due to return soon to of all things, star in "Cochise," a western epic for and possibly with John Wayne!



Bette Davis

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WITH ALFRED HITCHCOCK'S "I Confess" (the Anne Baxter-Monty Clift opus) off to happy box-office news, we're remembering when a pantingly hopeful Momma wrote the director, "I have a beautiful daughter who is 17. She is five foot three, a natural blonde and weighs 115 pounds. Do you think you could make her a success in motion pictures?" In reply, "Hitch" wrote:—"Dear Madam:—It would be impossible to say whether your daughter would succeed on the screen, as you did not state her width." Unless film bait bowls her over, Bette Davis will go to England with "Two's Company" when its Broadway run winds up. . . . The long time amour of Dolores del Rio and handsome Lew Riley is cooling. She's currently stuck on a Mexican dress designer.

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ORSON WELLES will soon pay the butcher, the baker, and perhaps the (steam) cabinet-maker, by co-starring with Vivianne Romance in "Man, Beast and Virtue," to be made in Italy . . . George Raft returns to Rome for more movies as soon as a bunch of the TV films he's now doing in Filmville are out of the way . . . Diane Douglas is taking her two kids to visit their Pop, Kirk Douglas in Europe momentarily. Looks like Kirk will finish out his 18 month stay after all. Among things lined up for him abroad are "Ember Days" and "Holland"—to be filmed with Metro's frozen funds . . . Actress Pat Walker and Blake Edwards, quondam producer, expect to tie the knot down Mexico way within the month . . . In "Decameron Nights," the color movie she made in Spain last year, Joan Fontaine appears in three shades of hair. Brunette, blonde and red — wot else?

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is the Mohammedan name for the Supreme Being?

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FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME



1. Born in New York City on Aug. 5, 1914, he was a doorman and chorus boy before he made his stage debut in "New Moon." His other shows include "Bittersweet," "Crazy Quilt," "Beat the Band," "By Jupiter," and others. He was also a night club singer and dancer. During World War II he served as a Coast Guard instructor. In 1949 he began his film career in "Flamingo Road." Other pictures include "Intruder in the Dust," "Beyond the Forest," "Breakthrough," "The Damned Don't Cry," "Inside Straight," "Fort Worth," "Inside Walls of Folsom Prison" and "Million Dollar Mermaid." Who is he?

2. Born in Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 9, 1902, he became a specialist in poultry husbandry at Michigan State college, East Lansing, Mich., and has been a chairman of the joint commission on the extension program of policies and goals of the United States department of agriculture. He became president of his alma mater, Michigan State college. He has since resigned to accept a post in President Eisenhower's administration. What is his name?

(Names at bottom of column)

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IT HAPPENED TODAY

1885 — Washington Monument dedicated in Washington, D. C.
1916—Battle of Verdun begun in World War I.

On Sunday, Feb. 22: 1732—Florida ceded to the United States by purchase and treaty with Spain. 1949—Anna Louise Strong, American writer, deported from Russia charged with being a spy.

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WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

LITIGANT — (LIT-i-gant) — adjective; disposed to litigate; engaged in a lawsuit. Noun — One engaged in a lawsuit. Origin: French from Latin — Litigans.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthday celebrants today are: Wystan Hugh Auden, poet; Ann Sheridan, actress, and Tom Yawkey, baseball club owner.

On Sunday, Feb. 2: Our greetings go to Robert Young, actor.

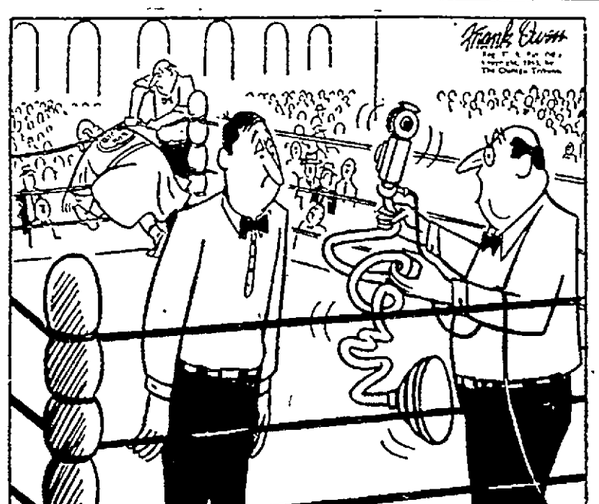
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HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. Allah.

1. David Bispan. 2 John A. Hannah

Pottstown Sketches



"Let's try to remember—some of the wrestlers get nervous when they talk into a microphone."

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Seeking the Sun... It's a Small World...

★ SEEK THE SUN—Nat and Marty Hoffman, 1448 Sunset drive, are on their way back to Pottstown after a Florida vacation in Miami Beach . . . Also returned to the main stem are Al Prince and Stan Berger, localads who made their annual pilgrimage to the land of the sun. In Florida they caught up with a trio of Pottstonians who drove to the land of sunshine. They were Paul Yocum, Firestone plastic executive, and Art "Pete" Dietrich and John Koval, draftsmen at Bethlehem Steel . . . Happier, probably, to get home was Howard Charles, 4 Vine street, Stowe. He was released from Army duty at Camp Carson, Colo., after serving as a cook with a field artillery battalion there. He was a private, first class.

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GETS NATIONAL HONOR—Elizabeth A. Fosnocht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Havard E. Fosnocht, 136 South Spruce street, Birdsboro, has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholarship society at Dickinson college, Carlisle. Her father is principal of Pottstown's elementary schools . . . Daniel R. Bechtel, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Ira W. Bechtel, 211 Henry street, a junior at Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster, made the honors list of distinguished students. John Frantz, son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Frantz, 1028 Belleview avenue, also a junior, made the dean's list.

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★ COINCIDENCE—Dr. Emil Schorsch, editor of Congregation Mercy and Truth's Bulletin, told this one in his latest: Television fans in our congregation will like this story. It happened at the last monthly meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the JWV to which the other war veterans organizations of Pottstown had been invited. Mrs. David Alexander welcomed Mrs. Helen Spivack, of Yonkers, N. Y. (sister of Mrs. Thomas Weiss) as guest and remarked that Sid Caesar's parents were their next door neighbors for many years, and good friends of theirs, and that the son of Mrs. Spivack and Sid Caesar grew up together. Whereupon Mrs. Brady, a navy mother of Colebrookdale mansion, turned to Mrs. Spivack and said: "May I introduce myself? I am the aunt of Imogene Coco."

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JOINER—Robert A. Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur A. Wilkinson, 405 Chestnut street, is taking basic training for the Air Force at Sampson, N.Y. He is the second son of the Wilkinsons to enlist in the Air Force. The other boy is Donald L. Wilkinson, who is stationed at Walker Air Force base, Roswell, N.M. Donald has been in the service for 10 months. Both boys enlisted for four years. Robert was graduated from Pottstown Senior High school the past June. He was a letter man on the track and swimming teams. Robert was also a former assistant scoutmaster of Emmanuel Lutheran Boy Scout Troop 8 . . . Marvin Williams, son of Levi Williams, 30 Prince street, was promoted to private, first class, while serving in Korea with the 40th Infantry Division.

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★ GRADUATES—Two area lads have been graduated from the Aberdeen, Md., proving ground leadership training school. They were Pvt. Harold G. Good, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Good, 524 Second avenue, Royersford, and Pvt. Douglas G. Fizz, husband of Mrs. Emma S. Fizz, Boyertown RD 1. Fizz is a West Pottsgrove High school graduate. Good was a carpenter before he joined the Army . . . Back a few years ago Pottstown was one of the first communities in the nation to adopt the parking meter idea. Now there are 2700 cities, including 12 of the 14 largest towns, using the meters. The greatest increase in the past year was among towns of 2500 population and under . . . GIVE AWAY DEPT—Two female puppies, Irish setter and spaniel mixed, 10 weeks old. Mrs. Calvin Roberts, Airport road, Limerick, 'phone Linfield 3004 . . . Female puppy, 4 months old, mixed terrier and cocker spaniel. Calvin Cressman, 109 Lindberg avenue, Hanover Heights, 'phone 3247-W.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

THANKS TO modern science, our increased knowledge about gout and related conditions gives a more hopeful outlook for those troubled with this disease. Unfortunately, this increased knowledge has also complicated the picture somewhat.

It has been said that out of every four cases of true gout, only one is correctly diognosed in the early stages because of lack of definite symptoms. A case of gout can, on occasion, go for twenty years without the correct diagnosis being made.

According to the old idea, gout was usually expected to occur in the big toe of a well-to-do person used to dinning on rich foods like lobster, fowl and wines But for some time now it has been recognized that frugal people and even the undernourished are also affected with gout.

We know that gout is associated with an excess of uric acid in the blood, and this condition has a tendency to run in families. Certain foods also tend to cause an attack, and this is the grain of truth in the rich food story. Foods that are particularly guilty are those which produce excess uric acid, such as lobster, turkey, venison, game birds, kidney liver, brains and alcoholic beverages.

The joint affected need not necessarily be the big toe. Ankles and finger joints sometimes develop severe swelling. In any case, the joint is extremely painful, tender and swollen, the skin usually becoming shiny and reddish-purple. The person also runs a high temperature, from 103 to 104 degrees, and has a high white blood count.

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A LETTER MAILED TO ALL MEN AND WOMEN OF THE POTTSTOWN PLANT OF THE FIRESTONE TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY

Feb. 19, 1953

TO ALL EMPLOYEES:

Employees who are working under the URW—Firestone Master Agreement at all other Firestone plants have worked out satisfactory Supplemental Agreements and will receive the higher pay and other benefits offered by the new Agreements. The wages, pensions, insurance program and contractual benefits contained in these agreements are outstanding.

Following ten weeks of sincere collective bargaining efforts at Columbus last summer, the Company and the Union signed a Master Agreement on August 24 which granted the following:

1. A $ .10 an hour general wage increase retroactive to August 18, 1952.
2. A Union shop.
3. Provision to negotiate on a local level a leave of absence for Firestone veterans to receive educational training under the G.I. Bill of Rights.
4. A possible 5% bonus to piece workers while working on a piece work operation not covered by established piece work rates.
5. Normal earning rate to piece workers under certain specified conditions.
6. Improved down time benefits for piece workers.
7. Triple time for holidays when worked.
8. Vacation period expanded.
9. Company to reimburse employees for repairs to their glasses damaged while doing assigned work.

Since November 11, meetings have been held for the purpose of negotiating a Supplemental Agreement to cover those subjects peculiar to Pottstown operations and not appropriate for collective bargaining on a company-wide basis. On February 9, a letter was presented to the Company by the officers of Local 336 which stated that the present Collective Bargaining Agreement will be cancelled as of February 24.

We replied to this letter on February 14 and, in order to keep you informed of the Company's position in the current negotiations, we mailed copies of our reply to all employees.

Cancellation of the present Bargaining Agreement means that the Union will be legally free to strike and, according to Robert Garber, President of Local 336, in his memorandum to employees on January 13, "it will be a good one."

We believe that a strike at this time would be unfair to the employees of Firestone. There is no doubt in my mind that a new Supplemental Agreement, covering subjects appropriate for collective bargaining here at Pottstown can and will be agreed upon whether or not the Union chooses to call a strike.

Whenever the officials of your Union do choose to call strikes, they cause employees financial hardships that need not be. Such strikes deprive you of your income for days, weeks or months and force you to use money from the savings which you may have been accumulating for a new home, new furnishings or appliances, a new car, a college education for your children, a family vacation, or some other worth-while project.

The notice of the contract cancellation and the suggestion of a strike comes as no surprise to the Company. This action has been foreshadowed ever since Local 336 Union representatives chose to violate their good faith and walk out on the signing of the Master Agreement which they helped negotiate in Columbus last summer.

Employees at Pottstown have been working under a very good Supplemental Contract and we are sure that if negotiations are conducted in good faith, and if the Committee will abide by the Master Agreement, we should be able to complete negotiations of a satisfactory new Supplemental Agreement in a short time.

A strike would cause a loss in wages to the average employee of close to $100 a week. This would mean approximately $200,000 a week for all the employees at the Pottstown plant.

Average annual earnings for Firestone factory employees in the Pottstown plant last year were approximately $4700. This year your earnings should be higher due to the wage increase which will be paid when the Supplemental Contract is effective, plus the other wage benefits, (for example, items 4, 5, 6, and 7 enumerated in this letter) which become effective when the Supplemental Contract is signed and accepted.

IF YOU STOP WORKING, YOU LOSE YOUR WAGES. WHAT GAIN WILL YOU MAKE TO OFFSET THIS LOSS? DID YOU VOTE FOR A STRIKE ON THE PRESENT ISSUES?

Very truly yours,

E. T. HANDLEY

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Jesus Amazes the Pharisees With His Wise Answers

Christ Parries Tormentors' Questions As He Preaches God's Holy Doctrine

The Golden Text



Jesus and the tribute money.

"Never man so spake."—John 7:46.

Scripture—Matthew 22:15-46.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

WE ALL ask questions. We begin in early childhood when we are filled with curiosity to know the what and the why of everything we see or hear, in order to gain a knowledge of this strange world in which we find ourselves. We go to school and then the teachers ask us questions to discover what our young minds retain of the subjects which have been taught us.

The questioning does not cease when we become adult. In fact, there are more questions, more important ones, that keep us asking all our lives. We ask questions about religion that we may know the truth and live by its teachings. We ask about right and wrong and justice, and we try to solve our personal problems by the knowledge obtained by our questionings.

In our free country we ask questions of the lawmakers whom we have elected to make and administer our laws, and give them our approval or disapproval at the polls at the next election. Do we appreciate fully this great privilege?

However, Jesus, whose life on earth is our example and answer to our moral queries, was asked questions merely to discover if in His answers He would say something by which they could trap Him to His death. His wise and brilliant answers usually silenced His tormentors.

After taking counsel with one another as to how they could entangle Jesus in His own words, the Pharisees sent some of their disciples with the Herodians (possibly principally Sadducees), to ask Him if it was lawful to give tribute unto Caesar or not?. Under the dominance of Rome Jews were naturally resentful and rebellious.

The messengers of the Pharisees began their question with the flattering words: "Master, we know that Thou are true, and teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest Thou for any man: for Thou regardest not the person of men.

"Tell us, therefore, what thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar or not?"

Jesus knew what was in their wicked hearts, and He said: "Why tempt ye Me, ye hypocrites?"

He then asked someone to bring Him a coin, and when He had it in His hand, He said, "Whose is this image and superscription?"

They answered: Caesar's. "Then saith He unto them, render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's."

They marveled at His answer which gave them nothing by which they could accuse Him, and they left Him and went their way.

What are the things we owe to "Caesar," in other words to those in authority—to our government and society? We owe obedience to the laws of our land; we should gladly pay for the things we buy and which our business men provide. We should pay our taxes and also help support various philanthropic or cultural agencies which are designed to benefit all our fellow citizens.

And to God we owe obedience to His will even if it means self-sacrifice; we owe to Christ a faith in Him and our most earnest efforts to live as He did while He was among men.

Then came Sadducees to Him asking a most ridiculous question—what we would call a "hypothetical" one. If the oldest of seven brothers married and then died, the law said the second brother should marry the woman and bring forth children. In this case, they said, the second brother was wed to the woman and he, too, died, and the next brother married her. One by one the brothers each married the same woman, all died, and finally the woman herself passed away. Whose wife, they asked, would she be in the Resurrection?

Jesus rebuked them for not knowing the Scriptures and the power of God. In the Resurrection, He told them, there is neither marrying nor giving in marriage, but all are as angels. And the Scriptures say that God is not the God of the dead, but of the living.

They were astonished at His doctrine.

The next question, concerning the greatest commandment, is discussed very fully in our next lesson, so we will not devote space to it today. The last question, that the Pharisees were unable to answer, will also be discussed in the lesson of March 1, and as our space here is filled, we will leave that one, too, to the next lesson.

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How Jesus Answered Questions — ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON — By Alfred J. Buescher



After taking counsel together as to how they might entangle Jesus with His own words, the Pharisees sent some of their disciples to ask Jesus, a question: "Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar or not?"

"Why tempt ye Me, ye hypocrites?" asked Christ. He took a coin in His hand, asked whose likeness appeared thereon? Caesar's they said. "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's."

Sadducees asked if one of seven brothers married, then died; the next one married the woman, and died, and each brother wed the same woman and died, then the woman died, whose wife would she be in the resurrection?

Christ chided them for not reading scripture aright. In the resurrection there would be no marrying, but all would be as angels; also God was the God of the living, not the dead.

Surely God will not hear vanity, neither will the Almighty regard it.—(Job XXXV, 13.)

Vanity leads us into wilfulness, pridefulness, and selfishness; it will harden our hearts toward the weakness and the need of others. Worst of all, vanity tends to make us feel that we can do without God, and such an assumption can only lead to unhappiness and disaster, both for an individual and for a nation.

Satan is worshipped by one Iraq tribe as the fallen angel restored by God to rule the earth.

Services in Pottstown Area Churches

Local Churches

EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN

Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., morning worship with sermon "The Inner Voice." 10:45 a. m., evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

Salem, the Rev. John F. Willson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., morning worship with sermon "A Time For Self Examination," 10:30 a. m.

BAPTIST

First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m., morning worship with sermon "Revisiting the Place of Baptism," 10:45 a. m., church nursery and children's church. 7 p. m., unified evening service with sermon "The Church's Greatest Gift," and separate sessions for youth groups. 7 p. m.

Second, the Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; music program sponsored by the Deacons' board, 7:30 p. m.

BRETHREN

First, the Rev. Ralph E. Frey, pastor. Bible school, 9:45 a. m., worship service with sermon "Win Men to Christ," 10:45 a. m.; youth meeting and evening worship service, 6:45 p. m.

LUTHERAN

Emmanuel, the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; worship service with sermon "Christ's Temptations and Ours," 10:45 a. m.; Adult Luther league, in chapel 6:30 p. m.; Senior Luther League, in nursery room 6:30 p. m.; vespers with sermon "Pottstown and the Sixth Commandment" or "Stepping Stones to Hell," 7:30 p. m.

Grace, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Sacrament of the Altar, 7:30 a. m., 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. church school, 9:15 a. m.; groundbreaking service at the new church lot, 2:30 p. m.; adult instruction class, 6:30 p. m.

St. James, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; morning service with sermon "The Living Name," 10:30 a. m.; nursery, 10:30 a. m.; Luther league, 7 p. m.

St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; communion, 10:15 a. m. and 7:20 p. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.; Senior Luther league and Intermediate Luther league, 6:30 p. m.

St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. George F. Elchorn, pastor. Tomorrow, Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; service at 10:45 a. m.; vespers, 7:30 p. m., Monday, Men's brotherhood, 8 p. m. Tuesday, Jr. confirmation class, 4 p. m.; Ladies' Aid society at the home of Mrs. Ellis, 8 p. m. Wednesday, Lenten vespers, 7:30 p. m.; Sr. choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m. Thursday, Sr. confirmation class, 4 p. m.

REFORMED

St. John's, the Rev. Paul C. Scheirer, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; Younth fellowship, 7 p. m.

St. Paul's, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheirer, pastor. Worship, 9 a. m.; church school, 10:15 a. m.; Youth fellowship, 7 p. m.

St. Paul's, the Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, supply pastor. Worship service with sermon "Poverty, Love, Obedience," 9:15 a. m.; church school, 10:20 a. m.

Trinity, the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, with sermon "When Holiness Pierces the Worshiper," 10:45 a. m.; Youth fellowship father's program, 6:30 p. m.; adult church membership class, 6:30 p. m.; vespers with cinema "Forty-Five Tioga Street," 7:30 p. m.

Zion's, the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; vesper service, 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST

First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship with sermon "Deepening the Spiritual Life," 10:45 a. m.; MYF worship, 6:30 p. m.; vespers with sermon "The Promise of Ultimate Triumph," 7:30 p. m.

Bethel AME, the Rev. Enoch N. Martin, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; meeting with sermon, the Rev. E. E. Tyler, presiding elder of the North Philadelphia district, 3:30 p. m.; trustees' program, 7:30 p. m.

Searles, the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; nursery, 10:45 a. m.; worship with sermon "Thoroughly Christian," 10:45 a. m.; MYF, 6:45 p. m.; vesper service with sermon "The Kingdom Road," 7:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC

St. Gabriel's, Stowe, the Rev. Francis Suchaneck, rector. High mass, 10 and 11 a. m.; low mass, 8 and 9 a. m.

St. John's, the Rev. John B. Taptich, rector. Masses, 8 and 10 a. m.

Holy Trinity Orthodox, the Rev. Jonah Milasevich, rector. Mass 10 a. m.

St. Aloysius, the Rev. William M. Begley, rector. The Reverends David V. Leahy, George P. Hiller and Michael Leo Walsh, assistant rectors. Masses in Upper church at 5:45, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., in Lower church at 9 and 10:15 a. m. Week-day masses in Lower church at 6:30, 7 and 8 a. m.

St. Peter's, the Rev. John Naja, rector. Low masses, 7:30, 9 and 10:30 a. m.; vesper services, 3:30 p. m.

Holy Trinity, the Rev. Stephen J. Vleck, rector. Masses at 8:15 and 10:30 a. m.; vespers, 3:30 p. m.

St. Michael's Ukrainian, Stowe, the Rev. Nicholas Baranecky, rector. Mass, 8 a. m.; Solemn High mass, 10 a. m.

OTHER CHURCHES

Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector. Communion and healing services, 9 a. m.; church school and Bible class, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon "God's Plan for Mankind," 11 a. m.; nursery school, 11 a. m.

First Presbyterian, the Rev. Burtis A. Hallock Jr., pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon "The Gift of a New Heart," 11 a. m.; nursery school, 11 a. m.; session meeting in church house, 3 p. m.; Youth fellowship, 7 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir practice, 8:30 p. m.

Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom hall, 137 High street. Public Bible lecture "Freedom for the People" by M. M. Downie, 3 p. m.; Watchtower Bible study "Maturity Brings Happiness," 4:15 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 254 High street. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; church service with lesson sermon "Mind," 11 a. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwin H. Hainley, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; youth meeting, 7 p. m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Calvary Pentecostal, Pottstown Landing, the Rev. Harry J. Sparks, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:45 a. m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Christian and Missionary Alliance, the Rev. John Wesley Muffley, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; youth fellowship, 6:45 p. m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Salvation Army, Robert Flinn, captain. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Holiness meeting, 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school at Hilldale, 1:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:15 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Seventh Day Adventist, Elder C. C. Duffield, supply pastor. Today church service, 9:30 a. m.; Sabbath school, 10:45 a. m. Sanatoga Grange hall, visitors welcome.

Rural Churches

BAPTIST

St. Peters, the Rev. John W. Sandiford, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Young People's service, 7 p. m.; worship, 7:45 p. m.

Bethesda, the Rev. John W. Sandiford, pastor. Worship, 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 3:30 p. m. Mrs. Martin Bressler, superintendent.

Pughtown, Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.

Windsor, Eagle, the Rev. Roger Conant, pastor. Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

Mt. Herman, Stowe, the Rev. Daniel Charles, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's, the Rev. John W. Sandiford, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Young People's service, 7 p. m.; worship, 8 p. m.

East Nantmeal, the Rev. John W. Sandiford, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 8 p. m.

Parkerford, the Rev. Earl Marcus, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; church service, 10:45 a. m.; Junior service, 7 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

EPISCOPAL

St. Marys, the Rev. Albert E. Wilcox, rector. Morning prayer and sermon, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

St. Andrew's, Ludwig's Corner, Church school, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

St. Gabriel's, Douglassville, the Rev. Thomas B. Smythe, rector. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN

East Vincent, the Rev. R. F. Brillhart, pastor. Church service, 10 a. m.; church school, Lloyd K. Moyer, superintendent, 11 a. m.

West Pikeland, the Rev. R. F. Brillhart, pastor. Church school, Philip Jenney, superintendent, 10:15 a. m.; church service, 11:15 a. m.; young adults meeting, 7 p. m.; Monday, 7:30 p. m., choir rehearsal.

New Hanover, the Rev. Edgar M. Cooper, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10:15 a. m.

St. Paul's, Lobachsville, the Rev. Luther Lee Lengel, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.

St. Joseph's Hill, Boyertown RD 1, the Rev. Luther Lee Lengel, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., Lenten service.

St. Paul's, Sassamansville, the Rev. William L. Shaud, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m. No worship service.

St. Luke's, Gilbertsville, the Rev. William L. Shaud, pastor. Worship, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; Catechetical class, 10:30 a. m.

St. John's, Sumneytown, the Rev. E. L. Angstadt, pastor. The service, 7:30 and 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 8:45 a. m. Tuesday, March 3, at 8 p. m., Church Council; Lenten Vespers. Wednesday, March 4, in St. Luke's church, 7:45 p. m.

St. James, Limerick, the Rev. Alton H. Wedde, pastor. Church school, 1 p. m.; worship, 2 p. m.

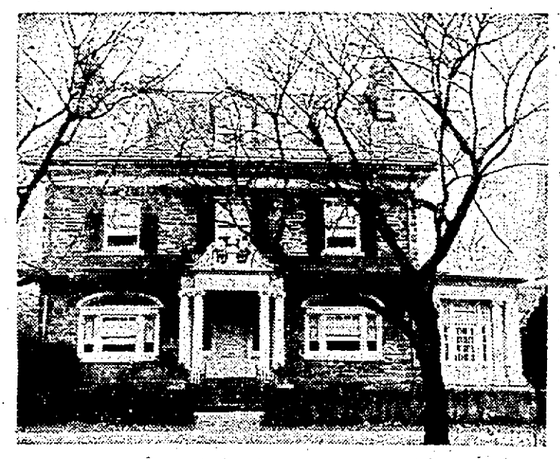
St. Matthews, Ludwig's Corner, the Rev. Ralph H. Casner, pastor. Mrs. Robert Smiley, organist. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon theme, "A Lesson In Obedience."; 6 p. m.; Luther League, 7 p. m. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., Lenten service, theme, "Does God Want Me?" Friday, 8 p. m. choir practice.

St. Paul's, Red Hill, the Rev. H. H. Krauss, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; the service, 10 a. m.; Lenten Vesper, 7:15 p. m.

St. John's, Pennsburg, the Rev. Henry M. Kistler, pastor. Sunday school, 9

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Reformed Youth Fathers To View Football Films

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The Rev. John Frantz, pastor, will discuss "Religion in Sports," and films of a football game between Marshall college and Albright college the past fall will be shown.

Elementary Pupils See Film on Safety Practices

The pupils of the elementary school were shown a movie on safety practices. The film showed a boy who did not practice good safety rules. He was injured and had to go to the hospital.

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In our lives, little "divides" cause us to swerve to the right or to the left; toward the thing that is right or the thing that is wrong and sinful. Little things? No, not as little as they seem, for often a little deed changes the whole course of one's life, or the life of another.

Of ourselves we can do nothing, but help is near. The Church stands ready, offering us the sure hand of Christian faith. Here we can find strength to make the right decision at every "divide" in life's way.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

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Thursday...Luke	15	11-32
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World Day of Prayer Congregations Crowd Churches

34 Area Places of Worship Mark Observance on First Friday of Lent

Capacity attendances of 1056 children and adults took part in the community-wide World Day of Prayer services at two local churches yesterday.

At First Presbyterian church, extra chairs were brought in to accommodate 553 children who attended the 4 p. m. community service. Massed junior choirs of 321 voices participated in the worship, for children.

Adults numbered 503 at the 8 p. m. service for adults at Emmanuel Lutheran church.

At noon, Pottstown's church bells pealed an invitation for all to join in the World Day of Prayer. Thirty-four local and area churches co-operated in the annual affair, observed on the first Friday of Lent.

In Emmanuel church, the Rev. Dr. Harold Paul Sloan, pastor of Wharton Methodist church, Philadelphia, and author of nine published books, called for a recognition of the supremity of God.

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"IT IS OFTEN a case of these egoists to think in terms of big man-little God," the pastor declared, "but they must come to recognize that they cannot go it alone.

"Everyone must come to realize," he continued, "that God reveals Himself not to you, but in you, and He is so near you that He is in you and completes you."

Participating in the procession were 100 choir members and clergymen. The organist was Mrs. Craig Dorward, who also directed the choir.

In addition, a men's chorus made up of participating churches sang "Te Deum Laudamus." The anthem sung by the mass choir was "Send Me Light," by Gounod.

The call to worship was conducted by the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church; responsive reading was directed by the Rev. John B Frantz, pastor of Trinity Reformed church; prayer was led by the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor of Searles Methodist church.

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THOUGHT OFFERING was by the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel. Lutheran church; and dedication was led by the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, First Baptist church pastor.

The World Prayer observance, taking the theme, "Walk as Children of Light," is sponsored by the Pottstown Council of Church Women. Mrs. Edward Horn was chairman of the arrangements committee.

Organist at the children's service was Mrs. Earl Yohn, and directors of the mass choir were Mrs. Dorward and Mrs. Harold Keim.

A invitation to prayer was placed on each hospital patients' tray at the noon meal.

This year's observance is a return to the type program of four years ago. During the past three years, individual services were held in various local and area churches.

Reading Church to Hold Field Services Here

Truth of Divine Spirit church, Reading, will hold field services every Tuesday in the home of Lyman Smith, 345 Beech street.

Conducting the 7:45 p. m. service will be the Rev. William D. Eckenrode, pastor.

African Mission Talk Set

Speaker at a youth meeting in First church of the Brethren tomorrow will be the Rev. Robert Kerstetter, missionary to Belgium Congo.

His talk is scheduled for 6:45 p. m. in the church. He will talk on his experiences in Africa.

Clay Workers Hear Company Executives

Sixty employes of Robinson Clay products company held an informal meeting with heads of the company last night in the factory office.

Presiding at the meeting was S. V. Saginor, vice president from the main office of the company in Akron, Ohio.

He said recent lay-offs at the plant here were due to the major repairs on two kilns. He added more than $70,000 is being spent to repair the kilns.

John Bowen, production superintendent from Akron, talked of safety, plant clean-up and the possibility of starting a first aid class at the factory.

Remarks were made by R. C. Haury, resident sales manager, and E. S Hewitt, plant superintendent.

Pastors to Alternate For Lenten Worship At Baltzell Church

The Revs. John L. Smoker and John F. Willson will alternate in conducting Lenten services each Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in Baltzell Evangelical United Brethren church.

Opening the series the past Wednesday was the Rev. Smoker. The Rev. Willson, pastor of Salem EUB church, will speak on "Facing Temptation" at this Wednesday's service.

Theme for March 4 will be "Being Sorry for Sin"; March 11, "Newness of Life"; March 18, "Remember This One Thing"; March 25, "The Meaning of Forgiveness."

Holy Week services will be conducted by both pastors at Salem EUB church, kicking off with the sermon "Are Ye Able?" by the Rev. Smoker, who'll preach April 1 on "Are Ye Willing?"

Communion services April 2 in Salem church will be under the Rev. Willson, and on April 3 he will speak on "Those About the Cross."

Missions School Series Will Start Wednesday

First Methodist church will open its "School of Missions" series Wednesday in Fellowship hall with a speech by the Rev. James Simons, Philadelphia.

Pastor of the Mid-Town parish in Philadelphia (Fifth street mission), the Rev. Simons will accompany his talk with slides.

Hostesses for the meeting will be members of the Asbury Bible class.

Pottstown Optometrist Is Re-Elected to Office

Dr. Elmer S. Friedberg, Pottstown optometrist, was re-elected vice president of the Berks County Optometric society, it was reported yesterday.

A past vice president of the Pennsylvania Optometric association, Dr. Friedbert is chairman of the association's veteran affairs committee.

Since Montgomery county does not have an optometric society, optometrists in the county are eligible for membership in the Berks county group.

Today's Psalm

A Psalm each day during the 40 days of Lent, with an accompanying commentary or appreciation by a local clergyman, is being published by The Mercury.

The version of the Psalm used is that of the commenting clergyman's church. Today it is from the revised Standard Version.

The Psalm for today is the 84th in the Protestant and Hebrew Bibles and the 85th in the Catholic Bible.

Commentary

By REV. EDWARD S. HORN, Pastor, St. James Lutheran Church

THIS pilgrim Psalm which is so close to the spirit of true Christian devotion shows the great love which the psalmist bore the sanctuary and his great longing to again participate in the temple worship.



REVEREND HORN

We too, must come to feel great love for the House of God, for in it we may find refuge from all our troubles.

The psalmist was a wanderer, away from the temple where he was accustomed to worship, and how his heart cried out for the things he once enjoyed.

For this was the place of the congregation; it was the scene of the communion of saints.

It was the living God alone that could satisfy the aspirations of the immortal soul of man.

But this God was careful to see that the sparrow had a home and the swallow a nest, therefore, He would most certainly care for His servant at His altar.

Because this God is his God, He would use His resources to shelter His servant who was dwelling by faith in the House of God.

So the psalmist sees two conditions of blessedness, first, to have one's strength in God, and to have God as one's strength; and second, to have in one's heart God's sure ways.

Such blessedness would help him as he went through the vale of tears, and went from strength to ever greater strength.

Yes, God is our shield, our protector, and how much better it is to accept the humblest place in the kingdom of God, for the humblest place in God's kingdom is far higher than the highest place in the worldly kingdom.

And in His kingdom God will bestow grace now and glory hereafter, for blessed will be the man who trusts in the Lord of hosts.

Psalm

HOW lovely is thy dwelling place,
O Lord of hosts!
My soul longs, yea, faints for the courts of the Lord;
My heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.
Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at thy altars, O Lord of hosts, my king and my God.
Blessed are those who dwell in thy house, ever singing thy praise! Selah.
Blessed are the men whose strength is in thee, In whose heart are the highways to Zion.
As they go through the valley of Baca they make it a place of springs; the early rain also covers it with pools.
They go from strength to strength; the God of gods will be seen in Zion.
O Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer; give ear, of God of Jacob! Selah.
Behold our shield, O God; look upon the face of thine anointed!
For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.
I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness.
For the Lord God is a sun and shield; he bestows favor and honor. No good thing does the Lord withhold from those who walk uprightly.
O Lord of hosts, blessed is the man who trusts in thee!

How much praise and glory we should be ready to give to God today.

We have not been asked to give up our faith, we still have our churches for the worship of our God, we may still enter there and pray to the Almighty for help and strength.

Great love and understanding is ours if we will but come to the House of God and put our trust in the Lord of hosts who abundantly loves men and gives them grace and glory.

Dedication Rites Set For School Additions In Lower Providence

New additions will be dedicated in April at Audubon and Henry K. Boyer schools in Lower Providence township, it was announced Thursday night.

The township school board, meeting in Evansburg at the Boyer school, also discussed enrolments at the Boyer, Audubon and Trooper schools, with a view to planing for future building expansion.

The new addition at the Boyer school will be dedicated Monday, April 6, and the dedication at the Audubon school is scheduled for the night after.

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LOW BID of $2295 was awarded to Omholt Brothers, Philadelphia, for the laying of hardwood floors in the Boyer school.

In other board actions, it was decided to place the school nurse on a three-day week schedule, instead of the present two-day week system.

CRASH KILLS ONE

CONNELLSVILLE, Feb. 20 (AP) — A three-car crash on Route 711 near here killed 20-year-old Blanche Stark of Scottdale and injured three others yesterday.

Services in Area Churches

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a. m.; The service with infant baptism, 10 a. m. Monday, 8 p. m., Church Council. Tuesday, choir rehearsals. Wednesday, Lenten service, 7:30 p. m.

Augustus, Trappe, the Rev. Paul L. Yount, supply pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; Holy Communion service, 10:30 a. m.

Old Goshenhoppen, Woxall, Dr. Mark Owen Heller, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.; Luther League meeting at home of George Oelschlager, Graterford. Wednesday, 8 p. m., Lenten service; sermon by the Rev. Robert Haas; Liturgist, the Rev. M. O Heller.

REFORMED

Shenkel, the Rev. Edward L. Schlingman, supply pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

Linfield, Rev. Franklin Watts, of Royersford, guest preacher. Worship, 9 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Brownback's, the Rev. Elmer E. Fahringer, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

St. Vincent, near Phoenixville, the Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.

St. Paul's, Amityville, the Rev. William H. Solly, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m.

St. John's Hill, Boyertown RD 1, the Rev. John L. Herbster, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Union Lenten service.

New Goshenhoppen, East Greenville, the Rev. Calvin M. DeLong, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.; Catechetical class, 2 p. m. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Lenten service in charge of the Rev. Wilmer S. Shelly, of Bally, in St. John's chapel.

Keelor's, Obelisk, the Rev. Robert A. Haas, pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.; Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.

Old Goshenhoppen, Woxall, the Rev. Robert A. Haas, pastor. Union Lenten service on Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

Pennsburg, the Rev. Wilmer C. Mantz, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m. Monday, 6:30 p. m., Ladies Aid society. Tuesday, 7 p. m., Catechetical class. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Lenten service, guest preacher, the Rev. Willis D. Mathias, of Allentown.

Sassamansville the Rev. Wilmer C. Mantz, pastor. Sunday school, 1 p. m.; church service, 2 p. m.

St. James, Limerick, the Rev. W. Reed Tettsworth, pastor. Church school, 9:15 a. m.; Holy Communion service 10:15 a. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m., Joy Builders Bible class meeting. Wednesday, All-day Dorcas society meeting Lenten service, 7:30 p. m. choir practice after service. Saturday, 7 p. m., Parish bowling league.

Falkner Swamp, New Hanover, the Rev. William H. Solly, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10:10 a. m.

Trinity, Bechtelsville, the Rev. William H. Solly, pastor. Church school, 1 p. m.; worship, 2 p. m.

METHODIST

Bethel, the Rev. Thomas E. Anderman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship 10:45 a. m.; worship, 8 p. m.

Mt. Carmel, the Rev. Frank G. Mauger, pastor. Worship, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:40 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Cedarville, the Rev. Charles Truax, pastor. Worship, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

Temple, the Rev. Charles Truax, pastor. Church school, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwin Hainley, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.

Nantmeal, the Rev. B. C. Dahms, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

Elverson, the Rev. Frank G. Mauger, pastor. Church school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; vesper service, 7:30 p. m.

Evansburg, the Rev. Maris H. Griffiths, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:5 a. m. No evening service.

Coventryville, the Rev. B. C. Dahms, pastor. Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; special anthem by the choir.

BRETHREN

Parkerford, the Rev. A. S. Alderfer, pastor. Sunday school, worship, 10:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.; worship, 8 p. m.

Coventry, Kenilworth, the Rev. D. Howard Keiper, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., worship, 10:30 a. m.; Youth Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Zion's Evangelical United Brethren, New Berlinville, the Rev. Donald R. Repsher, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10:15 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Harmonyville, the Rev. Gerald F. O'Donnell, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., worship, 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m. Bible study at home of the Rev. William G. Nyce. Wednesday, sewing at church by Ladies Bible class.

Grace Evangelical United Brethren, East Greenville, the Rev. R. R. Hunsberger, pastor. Worship, 9 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer service.

Salem Evangelical United Brthren, Upper Milford, the Rev. R. R. Hunsberger, pastor. Church school, 9:15 a. m.; worship, 7:15 p. m. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., prayer service.

Tabor Evangelical United Brthren, Hendricks, the Rev. R. R. Hunsberger, pastor. Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m. Tuesday, 7:45 p. m., prayer service.

OTHER CHURCHES

Palm Schwenkfelder, Palm, the Rev. Lester K. Kriebel, pastor. Sunday school, 8:50 a. m.; service, 10 a. m.

Colebrookdale Union chapel, the Rev Robert W. Neilson, Pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m.; song service with gospel message, 7:30 p. m.

Bethany Pentecostal chapel, Levengood road, Oak View Park. Guest speakers each Sunday. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m.; children's church, 10:45 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:45 p. m. Tuesday, 7:45 p. m., prayer service

Non-Sectarian Fellowship, Limerick, the Rev. Clarence H. Didden, pastor. Services at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Bertolet's Mennonite near Frederick. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

House of God, Stowe, the Rev. Eugene Jones, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Englesville Community chapel, the Rev. Neil A. Lysenby, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; evangelistic service, 7:45 p. m.

Hertzstein chapel, Neiffer, the Rev. William J. Hauck, pastor. Sunday school, 2 p. m.; preaching service at 2 and 7:45 p. m.

Mennonite, Schwenksville, the Rev. Freeland H. Swartz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.

Cedar Grove Community chapel, Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; preaching service, 11:15 a. m.

Mennonite, Boyertown, the Rev. Henry Paul Yoder, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.

Ironbridge Union chapel, Rahns, the Rev. J. Frank Croll, pastor. Sunday school, 2 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Mennonite Gospel Mission, Spring Mount. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Church of The Nazarene, Haycreek road, Birdsboro, the Rev. R. O. Parry, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; N.Y.P.S., 6:45 p. m.; Praise and Testimony service, 7:30 p. m.; Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.

Evangelical Congregational, Trappe, the Rev. R. G. Beals, pastor. Sunday school, 1:30 p. m.; worship, 2:30 p. m.

Pine Forge Community chapel, the Rev. Cletus E. Naylor, pastor. Sunday school, 10:45 a. m. Gospel message on second and fourth Sunday, 11:45 a. m.

Trinity Union church, Bechtelsville. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10:15 a. m. conducted by the Rev. Henry W. Harms.

Brethren in Christ Mission, Stowe, the Rev. Cletus E. Naylor, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.; services, 7:30 p. m.

Ebenezer Evangelical Congregational, East Greenville, the Rev. J. S. Heim, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Women's Missionary society, 10:10 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayer service.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, Graterford, the Rev. Ernest B. Hartman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.; Preaching and Holy Communion service, 2:30 p. m., conducted by the Rev. P. T. Stengele, of Allentown, district superintendent. Thursday, 7:45 p. m., prayer service.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, Harleysville, the Ernest B. Hartman, pastor. Worship, 9 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., prayer service.

Old Hereford Mennonite. Sunday school, 9 a. m.; worship, 10 a. m.

Evangelical Congregational, Pine Swamp, the Rev. John H. Bixler, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer service, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Senator Says Red Move On Indo-China Expected

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP) — Senator Mansfield (D.Mont) said today the activity of Russian officers indicates a Soviet move on Indo-China "is in the making."

He said he believes the Russian move to counter President Eisenhower's Formosa directive "will be in Indo-China."

Eisenhower announced he was ordering the 7th fleet to stop "shielding" Red China from attack by Chiang Kai-Shek's Nationalist forces on Formosa.

The freshman Senator from Montana, a member of the Foreign Relations committee, urged in a statement that heavy new military shipments be sent to Indo-China.

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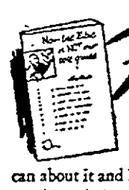
The Gospel of St. John, for example, says: "...there are many other things which Jesus did which are not written in this book." And St. Paul said: "Stand fast; and hold the traditions which you have learned, whether by word, or by our epistle" (II Thess. 2:15).

Christianity began with the coming of Christ—not with the writing of the Bible. And Christ had established His Church... which St. Paul called "the pillar and mainstay of the truth"...long before any of the books of the New Testament had been written. The Savior did not command us to read anything, but He did command us to hear His Church.

This does not mean, of course, that the Bible is not extremely valuable. It does mean, though, that the Bible is not...and was not intended to be...the sole source of Christian teaching and belief. The Church had existed 1600 years, in fact, before the theory was advanced that the Bible should be the *sole* guide to Christian believers.

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The answer is, of course, that Christ established His Church to carry on His mission and spread His teaching. And while the Bible is the inspired Word of God, there are certain truths taught and exemplified by Christ which it does not record...which will be found in the life, practice and teaching of Christ's Church—traditions dating back to the days of the Apostles and ante-dating the printing of the Bible.



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Albert Guldin Got Wife with Basket Bid; Today Greets Golden Wedding with Her

Albert H. Guldin met his bride of 50 years in Sanatoga at an old-fashioned basket social where he, as highest bidder, got to share the box lunch he had bought with the girl who had packed it.



—Mercury Staff Photo
MR. AND MRS. A. H. GULDIN

Mrs. Guldin, whose maiden name was Buchert, gave him a hint, though, when the basket she had packed was to be auctioned off. In Mr. Guldin's words, "the other fellows saw me waiting for that particular basket, so when I began to bid, they started too. I paid twice as much for her basket as any of the others had to pay—but it was worth it!"

Mr. and Mrs. Guldin, who live at 164 South Franklin street, will observe a quiet Golden wedding anniversary today by going out to dinner.

They won't have to fight the fence-high snow today that they did 50 years ago, though, when they were married at the home of Mr. Guldin's brother, Wesley Guldin, in Pottstown

Following the morning ceremony performed by the Rev. O. P. Smith, pastor of the Transfiguration church, the couple left by train for a two day honeymoon in Reading.

"It was too cold for much celebration," said Mrs. Guldin, "but we did see a stage, 'Way Down East,' in one of the theaters."

The couple set up housekeeping in Linfield and lived there three years before moving to Spring City. After 14 years there, they moved to Pottstown where both had been born.

Although Mr. and Mrs. Guldin have no children, they have kept busy with their many hobbies Mr Guldin can match his wife anytime in the field of embroidery and needlework and Mrs. Guldin, says her husband, is quite a carpenter.

In addition to making hooked rugs and table covers, Mr. **Guldin has found time, mostly in the last ten years, to collect over 50,000 stamps.**

His wife busies herself crocheting and quilting. All she has to do is look at a picture of crochet work, says Mr. Guldin, and she can duplicate it.

Both have pleasant memories of their youth, when, said Mr. Guldin, you had to plan your own fun

One of their favorite pastimes was sleigh riding. There wasn't anything better, according to the couple, than riding in a two-horse sleigh with the knowledge that a hot dinner was waiting at their destination.

Mr Guldin has worked for the past 10 years for the Doehler-Jarvis corporation in the tool department.





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CHURCH of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Bally, was the spot chosen by both the above couples for their weddings. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Linsenbigler (at left) will live on Barto RD. Mrs. Linsenbigler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Benfield, Barto. Her husband is the son of Florence Linsenbigler, Bally. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Melcher have chosen a home on East Greenville RD. The bride is the daughter of Cecelia Stengel, Bally; Joseph Melcher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Melcher, Barto.

-:- WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING -:-

Birdsboro Junior Women's Club Holds Mother-Daughter Night; Names Annual Dinner Workers

A Mother and Daughter night was held by Birdsboro's Junior Woman's club Tuesday evening in in the YMCA.

A humorous skit, "A Mock Meeting," was presented by the following club members: Mrs. William Fry, Jeanette DelGrosse, Mrs. Harvey Ludwig, Jane DeRupa, Joan Myers, Mrs. Robert Lutz and Mrs. John Eisenbise.

Mary Rose, who substituted for Frank Dimon of Wernersville State hospital, was speaker for the evening.

Several announcements were made during the business meeting. Four club members are in the cast of the "Sugar n' Spice Follies," a benefit show for the Cerebral Palsy fund, being presented at the Rajah theatre March 6 and 7 by the combined Junior Woman's clubs of Berks county.

The women are. Mrs. Robert Lutz, Grace Potter, Jeanette DelGrosse, and Mrs Stanley Yoder Jr Volunteer ushers for the show from this group are Mary Maccarone, Gloria Stuart and Mrs Eli Iezzi.

President Mrs. Robert Lutz, appointed the following committees for the annual dinner to be held May 19:

General chairman, Mrs Andrew Black; decorations, Mrs. William Kelly, Mrs. Nicholas Christ, Mrs. George Heck and Mr. Frank Browne; transportation, Grace Potter, Mrs. Raymond Dengler, Mrs. Gerald Rohrbach and Nancy Spencer; reservations, Mrs. Sunday DeCecco, Mrs. John Eisenbise, Mrs. William Hughes, Mrs Robert Weiler and Mrs. Elmer Musser.

The club decided to send a Care package to Korea and to contribute to the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Herman Musser, ways and means chairman, announced that the fashion show has been postponed until May. A membership dance for girls of the club, their husbands or dates, was discussed

Mrs. John Bradley outlined the general plan for the club's Christmas bazaar, December 5, at the YMCA. Every member of the club will be asked to donate an article. and periodic workships of different groups will meet once a month for six months to make items for the affair.

A knitting workshop was planned under direction of Mrs. Robert Lutz; crocheting, Mrs. Herman Musser, art, Mrs William Kelly; five sewing groups are in charge of Mrs Robert Davidheiser, Mrs. William Fry, Mrs. Lewis Marks, Mrs. Merrill Jacobs and Mrs. William James, and Mrs Donald Clem and Mrs. John Bradley.

The next meeting, March 17, is to be a reception for new members announced Mrs Lewis Marks, program chairman. Ruth Bonner, Kutztown State Teachers' college, will be the speaker.

Hostesses, Mrs. Robert Weiler, Mrs. William Fry, Mrs. John Westley, Mrs. Charles Dolan and Mrs. Gerald Rohrbach, served lunch.

Members and their mothers present were: Mrs. Eli Iezzi, Mrs. Hoyle Loe, Mrs. Harry Hart, Mrs. Stanley Yoder, Mrs. Andrew Black, Mrs. John Winterhalter, Mrs. Calvin Hartman, Mrs. Stanley Yoder Jr. and Mrs. George Klein.

Mrs Titus Weaver, Joan Myers, Mrs. James McCord, Mrs James DeRupa, Mary Ellen McCord, Mrs George Lutz, Mrs. Willis McCord, Mrs Sunday DeCecco, Doris Jean Potter, Mrs Gerald Rohrbach, Mrs. Richard Swisher and Mrs William Hughes.

Jeanette DelGrosse, Jan DeRupa, Mrs. Robert Lutz, Mrs Harvey Ludwig, Mrs Henry Rimby, Mrs Francis Rimby, Mrs. Raymond Dengler, Mrs. Walker Hoffman, Mrs. Joseph Hunsinger, Jane Johnson, Mrs. William Fry and Mrs Edwin Schaeffer.

Mrs John Westley, Mary Maccarone, Idabelle Machemer, Mrs David Machemer, Mrs. Lewis Marks, Mrs Nicholas Marks, Mrs Donald Hadley, Mrs. James Finley, Mrs Merrill Jacobs, Mrs. John Bradley, Mrs George Heck, Mrs William Kelly, Mrs. Nicholas Christ, Mrs. Lewis Henry, Mrs. Charles Dolan, Mrs Robert Weiler and Mrs. John Eisenbise.

Advisors present were: Mrs John Rose, Mrs William Geiger and Mrs. Daniel Swavely. Mrs. Anna Laura Thompson was a guest.

Gerald Princenthal and Phyllis Dauer to Repeat Nuptial Vows At East Orange Rites Read by Rabbi Samuel Berman

Wedding guests of Phyllis Dauer and Gerald Princenthal will travel to East Orange, N. J., to attend the couple's marriage ceremony in the Hotel Suburban tomorrow at 1:30 p. m.

Rabbi Samuel Berman, Temple Beth-El, Jersey City, N. J., will officiate at the double ring rites

Miss Dauer is the daughter of Theresa Dauer, East Orange, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Princenthal, 1319 Queen street, are the parents of the bridegroom-to-be.

The bride, dressed in white Chantilly lace over nylon tulle, will be given in marriage by her uncle, Dr. Julius Siegler. She will wear a finger-tip illusion veil and a juliet cap trimmed with seed pearls.

Miss Dauer will carry a prayerbook topped with white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Alexander Sinclair will be matron of honor for her sister. A niece of Miss Dauer, Margot Sinclair, will be a junior bridesmaid

Mr. Princenthal's best man will be his brother, Philip S. Princenthal, Forest Hills.

A reception in the Mimosa room of the hotel will follow the ceremony. For her son's wedding, Mrs. Princenthal will wear a Dior blue silk shantung suit dress. Mrs Dauer chose a navy blue lace frock. Both mothers will wear pink camellias.

After a honeymoon of undisclosed destination, the couple will reside in the Linden apartments, Pottstown

Guests are expected to attend from Pittsburgh, Reading, Trenton, Mahanoy City, Miami Beach, New York, New Jersey and Pottstown.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of East Orange High school. She attended Cornell university in Ithaca, N. Y., and received her degree from New York university.

Mr. Princenthal graduated from Pottstown High school and is a member of the Pottstown post of the American Legion and the Jewish War Veterans.



ENGAGEMENT — Mr. and Mrs. Warren Simmons, East Greenville RD, have announced the betrothal of their daughter, Miriam Simmons, to Robert N. Sweinhart, Boyertown. Miss Simmons, a graduate of Pottstown High school with the class of 1952, works for the Bell Telephone company. Her fiance is employed by his father and attended Boyertown Schools.

Third Birthday Honored By Beverly Kreszanosky

Both birthday anniversary and Valentine's Day were celebrated by Beverly Kreszanosky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kreszanosky.

Birthday cakes with three candles decked the table in her home, 1449 Cherry lane, for the occasion.

Guests were: Barbara Sietz, Susan Herbine, Linda and David Emery, Jay Miller, Carole and Randy Neiman, Karen Levengood; Sharrie Lou, Drew and Terry Davis.

Judy Handley, Rammie Cimina, Ginnie Yocum, Joan and Phyllis Kreszanosky; Jessie Sietz, Mrs. Karl Herbine, Mrs. Harry Emery, Mrs. Joe Miller, Mrs. Ronald Neiman and Mrs. Vernon Levengood.

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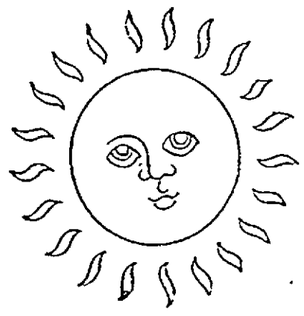
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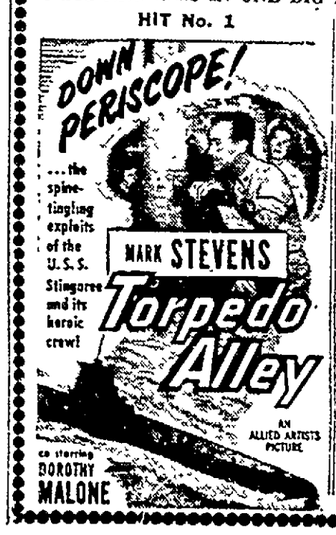

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Her 5 Sisters are Kathryn Boyer's Attendants in St. Aloysius Service

Five sisters attended Kathryn E. Boyer when she became the bride of Joseph J. Axsmith Sunday, climaxing a more than year-long engagement.

Daughter of Kathryn Boyer (senior), 621 Center street, Stowe, the bride was accompanied to the altar by sisters Pearl, Ellen, Mrs. James Lucas, Mrs. Clarence Bush and Mrs. Stephen Klaptosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Axsmith, 214 South Franklin street, are the parents of the groom.

St. Aloysius Catholic church was festooned with white carnations for the double ring service read before 100 guests by the Rev. Michael Leo Walsh.

Vocalist during the ceremony was Paul Marchek.

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Stephen Klaptosky, the bride wore a gown of hand clipped chantilly lace over tissue faille.

Over its fitted bodice she wore a Spencer jacket formed with a collar and long, tapering sleeves.

Her bouffant skirt billowed to ballerina length.

From a coronet of rhinestones and pastel sequins, the bride's veil fell to shoulder length.

For her bouquet, white roses and white carnations were tied with streamers, knotted with fern and split carnations.

Attendants wore frocks with white tulle skirts beneath velveteen bodices of variously colored velveteen. Matching strips of velveteen accented the fronts of the skirts.

Each wore a headpiece of tiny flowers and mitts of velveteen in the same shade as her gown, and each chose rhinestone jewelry.

Matron of Honor Mrs. Stephen Klaptosky's theme color was pencil blue and her bouquet was of white carnations and red roses.

Bridesmaids were attired in heather gold, emerald green, crimson and purple. Their bouquets were formed from white carnations and yellow roses.

Barbara Jean Billy was the flower girl. She wore a turquoise frock and carried red roses and white carnations.

Best man at the wedding was Walter Axsmith, a brother of the groom.

Ushers were John Yanusko, Donald Yanusko, Michael Sheperak and Merrill Shirley.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's mother for more than 200 guests. Receiving rooms were decked with streamers to match the gowns of the attendants.

For her stint in the receiving line, the mother of the bride was attired in a brown outfit with pink her corsage.

The groom's mother was attired in black, which she accented with black accessories. To her shoulder she pinned pink roses.

The bride is a 1951 graduate of West Pottsgrove High school and is employed in the office of the Stanley G. Flagg company.

Her husband, a 1949 graduate of Pottstown High school, is serving in the United States Army.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Today

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Guldin, 164 South Franklin street, 50 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drabinsky, 65 West Third street, five years.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Bachman, Star route, 39 years.

Tomorrow

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bolton, Boyertown RD 2, 12 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Nester, Gilbertsville RD 1, 12 years.

Pleasant Run Secret Pals Revealed at Covered-Dish Supper

For the first—and last—time Pleasant Run Women's club secret pals signed their names to gifts.

Covered-dish dinner in a Valentine theme at the home of Olivia Harvey, Green Lane RD, is the club's traditional revealing time for secret pals.

New friends of mystery were chosen and each will bring a St. Patrick's Day gift to the March 19 meeting in the home of Verna Schneck, Pennsburg RD.

New president, Helen Smiley, opened the meeting with scripture reading.

A traveling apron is making the rounds of members who will send it to secretary Sara Swann or bring it to the March 19 meeting.

Present were: Mabel Kulp, Sara Swann, Marie Swann, Elsie Beck, Dorothy and Elsie Renninger, Katie Miller, Carolia Kulp, Florence Greiss and Helen Schultz.

Helen Rankin, Carolyn Greiss, Lottie Swann, Helen Swann, Ethel Evans, Ella Kulp and Mary Mayo, a guest.

Directors Hear of YW Membership Drive

YWCA membership drive reports led the roster of business when the board met the past Thursday in the Y.

To date 207 of the 482 membership cards sent out have been returned, said chairman Mrs. Thomas F. Storm. She added that those who have not been contacted but wish to join the YWCA may do so by calling at the office.

Executive director Mrs. Alex Y. Tisdale said that a total of 1300 persons has been tallied during the month's activities.

She described a recent meeting in the Norristown YWCA of agencies interested in Teen-agers' recreation. The group will gather again in March.

Activities of the Business Girls' and Newcomers' clubs were explained.

Swimming for women in the YMCA on Monday nights from 7 to 8 p. m. was stressed.

Pigtail classes' work on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons was told by Eleanor Cornmesser.

Mrs. Ralph C. Johnson reported on English classes held in Pottstown High school for the foreign born.

Business was conducted by President Mrs. George M. Weber and devotions by Mrs. Edward S Horn.

Directors present were: Mrs. Raymond F. Blefgen, Mrs. Calvin Cressman, May I. Campbell, Mrs. Raymond Detterer, Mrs. William S. Hoar and Mrs. Ralph C. Johnson.

A Edna Hutt, Mrs. Henry T. Schneider, Mrs. Howard I. J. Stauffer, Mrs. Richard P. Stamm and Ruth F. Swinehart.

HOSPITALS

MEMORIAL

Admitted: James Kaas, 548 East Howard street, Stowe, medical; Mrs. Edna Hughes, 6 Beech street, maternity; Garth Golden, Douglassville RD 2, surgical; Sharon and Ronald Shankweiler, Spring Mount, surgical; Addie Houck, Elverson RD 1, medical; Ervin Boronski, Perkiomenville RD 1, medical; Jennie Rhoads, Pottstown RD 3, medical; Mary Schmale, Douglassville RD 2, medical.

Discharged: Dorothy Drumheller, Sanatoga, surgical; Charles Leininger, Elverson RD 2, medical; Mrs. Marjorie Pulinka, 55 High street, maternity; Arthur Wolfe, 315 Main street, Royersford, medical.

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Admitted: Bessie Kochel, 400 North Charlotte street, medical; Clifford Haas, 711 North Charlotte street, medical; Thomas P. Smith, 1214 Maple street, surgical; Ida E. McCullough, 245 West King street, medical; Deborah Pretnicki, Schwenksville RD 1, medical; George Daniels, 10 South Hanover street, medical.

Discharged: Gordon Silknitter, Elverson RD 2, surgical; Herbert Houck, 112 North Washington street, medical; Elizabeth Geigley, 927 Queen street, medical; Mrs. Florence Wisler, Collegeville RD 1, maternity; Esther Swenk, 143 Main street, East Greenville, surgical; Mrs. Marguerite Schaeffer, Pottstown RD 3, maternity; Barbara Garner, Glen Moore RD 1, medical; Mildred Missimer, 351 Union alley, medical; Carrie Smale, Pottstown RD 2, medical.

BIRTHS

Yesterday in Pottstown hospital a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Hood, 372 Walnut street.

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In Memorial hospital yesterday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes, 6 Beech street.

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A son was born yesterday in Pottstown hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beasley, 323 Grant street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harp, 35 West Third street, announce the birth of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Wedding Attendant, Cathie Madeja, Gives Nuptial Shower for Bride-Elect, Mae Fox

Anticipating her attendant duties in the wedding of Mae Fox was Cathie Madeja when she gave a bridal shower for Miss Fox.

Bells and a streamer-festooned umbrella decorated her 645 Walnut street home in honor of the March 21 wedding in St. James Lutheran church.

Mae Fox is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Diemer, 1330 Cherry street. Her fiance is Edward Schumacher, son of Cora Schumacher, 359 King street.

Other attendants include Jane Emery and Barbara Diemer.

Winners of party games were Jean Neiman, Marion Embody and Margie Saylor.

Guests were: Mrs. Peter Wilhelm, Mrs. Beatty Embody, Mrs. Norman Dorner, Jean Neiman, Nancy Frocke, Nancy Ginther, Ruth Weidner and Nancy Wilhelm.

Gifts were sent by: Jane Stolpe, Susan Keen and Mrs. Earl Diemer.

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Today

Shirley Jean Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jearl Murray, Pottstown Landing, 8 years.

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Sandra McAndrew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McAndrew, 213 High street, 16 years.

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Charles Howard Whitacre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick Whitacre, 411 Manatawny street, 6 years.

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Thomas Wagg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wagg, 475 North Evans street.

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Arthur Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Charles, 50 Hemlock row.

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Ruth Gross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gross, Douglassville RD 2.

Jean Stoudt, 1060 North Warren street.

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Mrs. Florence Klink, 64 West Fourth street.

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Mary Keiter, 347 Jefferson avenue.

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Susan Herbine, 1112 Queen street.

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Leroy Fredd, 505 North Evans street.

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Michael Kuszyk, Ringing Hill.

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Leroy Gehris, 123 High street.

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Mrs. Angy Pomponio, 1210 North Franklin street.

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Mrs. Marion Reidenouer, 376 North Charlotte street.

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Leonard G. Strom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Strom, Auchenbach apartments, 5 years.

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Mary Lou Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaffer, 372 Apple street, 14 years.

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Georgianna Nester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nester, Pottstown RD 3, 17 years.

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Mrs. Harvey C. Beekley, Pottstown RD 2.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY

WITH devoted effort made on your part the year ahead should be successful. Born today, a child should go far in life.

TOMORROW

Dawn Steinmetz, Douglassville RD 2.

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Mabel Scholl, 548 North Adams street.

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Robert Charles Harner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harner, Boyertown RD 2, 1 year.

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Wilson Schmoyer, 530 Grant street.

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George W. Funk, 776 North Franklin street.

Helen Will, 329 Chestnut street.

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Madaleine Ottaviano, 441 Cherry street.

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Mrs. Amanda Evans, Pleasantview road, Sanatoga, 74 years.

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Mrs. Ralph Hoagey, 35 West Third street.

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Joyce Eschbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Eschbach, 22 Manatawny street.

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George Muthersbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs Claude Muthersbaugh, Hilldale.

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Virginia Veach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Veach, 254 Maplewood drive.

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Dolores Wilkinson, daughter of Mrs. Geneva Wilkinson, 778 North Adams street.

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Germaine Zawaski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Zawaski, 178 South Washington street.

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Guy L. Curchoe, 978 High street.

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Dawn Steinmetz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinmetz, Douglassville RD 2.

Yesterday

Mrs. John Fritz Jr., 316 Cherry street.

Trinity Reformed Troop Does Work on Knapsack

Summer campaing trips' preparation was begun by Trinity Reformed Girl Scouts.

Work was started on treking knapsacks. A game closed the church meeting.

Marion Wetty gave the prayer.

Present were; Brenda Fidler, Shirley Smith, Sandra Ingham, Patty Kerr, Janet Moulder, Marlene Ziegler, Beverly Herd, Anna Mae Mossie, Joan Yost and Barbara Cook.

Beverly Rahn, Carole Lasky, Eleanor Saraceni, Joanne Lipko, Linda Mayer, Carol Cook, Carol Steely, Gail Garner, Annette Edleman, Judy Readman and Gail Kerlin.

Jacqueline Elliott, Judy Maute; Mary Jane Balb, Barbara Groff and Mrs. Paul Quinter were leaders.

CHIC CHICK

Poultry labeled "ready-to-cook" means that it is dressed poultry with the pin feathers, entrails and internal organs removed. It is ready to use as it comes from the market. One advantage of ready-to-cook poultry is that although it costs more than poultry that is just dressed, there is no waste to it.

Fagleysville Club Women Meet in Seasholtz Home

The Fagleysville Woman's club met Wednesday in the home of Ethel Seasholtz, Fagleysville.

The women decided to hold a cake sale in the near future. Edna Holbitzell won the "pig-in-the-box." Refreshments were served by Levinia Hoss and Anna Weinsteiger.

The next meeting will be held March 11 at the home of Ethel Seasholtz. Hostesses will be Emma Schreyer and Sara Acker.

Those attending were: Mabel Evans, Florence Landis, Thursa Rhoads, Mary Rosenberry, Effie Hetrick, Emma Kifer, Dorothy Weigold, Susan Seasholtz, Ethel Seasholtz, Sara Acker, Mabel Kingsepp, Elsie Hartmaier, Eva Gephart and Corrine Levengood.

Rodney Berriker to Study Engineering in Pittsburgh

Rodney L. Berriker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Berriker, has been accepted at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh.

He will enter the field of mechanical engineering September, 1953, said Stanley I. Davenport Jr., principal of Pottstown High school.

A member of the High school Honor club for the past three years, Rodney Berriker lives on Douglassville RD 1.

CONDENSED CLEANING

A front-opening dishwasher saves space as a rule. For instance, the top may be used for stacking dishes, provided the homemaker doesn't have to reach too far back when the dishwasher is open for loading. Dishwashers that fit under counters also offer counter space above for stacking. Then, too, with front-openings, wall cupboards can be built close above the dishwasher.

O of IA Women Hear Piece by Carol Miller

"The Newlyweds Go Fishing" was the reading presented at the Order of Independent Americans auxiliary meeting.

Reciter Carol Ann Miller was introduced to the group by Margaret Miller, entertainment chairman.

'Pigs' were won by Mrs. Frank Miller and Grace Lachman.

Hostesses Frances Bauer and Kathryn Binder served refreshments to the 13 members and three guests present.

Social chairman Gertrude Emery and her committee will serve covered-dish dinner at 6:30 p. m. March 19. Easter party plans will be discussed.

DIVVY THE DRUDGERY

A homemaker who wants to avoid peroids of concentrated heavy kitchen cleaning, will do special jobs along with her daily cleaning. For instance, one week she may wash the kitchen curtains, another week she may wash the shelves of kitchen cupboards.

Social Calendar

Union township PTA—fair tonight in Monocacy school.

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American Legion juniors—Valentine social at 2 o'clock in the Legion home.

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